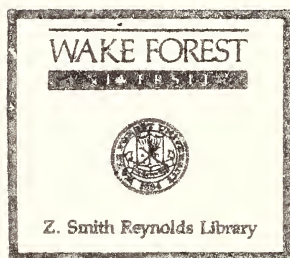


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**1994 Meetings of the Messengers
CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, INC.**

WINTER QUARTERLY MEETING

**January 27, 1994
Mountain Grove Baptist Church
Granite Falls, North Carolina**

Theme: "Here's Hope. A Call to Obedience"

Rev. Robert Livingston, Moderator

Ann Hatton, Clerk

SPRING QUARTERLY MEETING

**April 28, 1994
Piney Grove Baptist Church
Lenoir, North Carolina**

Theme: "Here's Hope. A Response to Jesus"

Rev. Robert Livingston, Moderator

Ann Hatton, Clerk

SUMMER QUARTERLY MEETING

**July 28, 1994
Lower Creek Baptist Church
Lenoir, North Carolina**

Theme: "Here's Hope. A Message to Share"

Rev. Robert Livingston, Moderator

Ann Hatton, Clerk

FALL QUARTERLY MEETING

**110TH ANNUAL MEETING
October 27, 1994
Dudley Shoals Baptist Church
Granite Falls, North Carolina**

**October 28, 1994
Central Baptist Church
Lenoir, North Carolina**

Theme: "Plowing the Ground"

Rev. Robert Livingston, Moderator

Ann Hatton, Clerk

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ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES COUNCIL REPORT

**Floyd Annas, Director
Mount Zion Baptist Church**

The Administrative Services Council is one of three coordinating councils for the association. It consists of the chairmen of the Associational Meetings, Communications, External Relations, Finance, History, Membership, Nominating, Personnel, Properties and Strategy Committees.

The year began with an Associational Committees Training Workshop on October 19, 1993, which was held at the Mount Zion Baptist Church in Sawmills. A general meeting was conducted for the committee members followed by individual meetings of the committees.

The council met on May 10, 1994 for orientation and to plan a training workshop for associational committees. The workshop was held on September 6, 1994 at the College Avenue Baptist Church. It was similar to the one held on October 19, 1993, but was geared toward the 1994-95 associational year.

AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY REPORT

**Mrs. Ruth Greene, Representative
Baton Baptist Church**

The American Bible Society has been placing God's Word in the hands of people around the world for 178 years. Today, the Scriptures are reaching men, women and children in more than 200 nations; yet, from almost every corner of the globe we hear spiritually hungry people say, "Please help us, we don't have enough Bibles".

It is a challenge and a privilege for the churches of the Caldwell Baptist Association to give monthly and annually to the American Bible Society. Our churches can make a difference.

One important way we can share the gospel is to observe the American Bible Society Sunday. The 54th annual Bible Sunday observance will take place on November 20, 1994.

This year, all Bible Sunday offerings sent to the American Bible Society will be used to "Share the Warmth of God's Word" with the 25 million people of Siberia. Few of the people who live in the vast stretches of this eastern region of the former Soviet Union have ever had a Bible of their own in their own language. Even in most large cities there is not a single copy of the scriptures. Sadly, countless Christians who kept the flame of faith alive during the terrible oppression of the atheistic government have yet to own a Bible.

Churches of the Caldwell Association can help change that. For each \$4.00 collected on Bible Sunday and sent to the American Bible Society, a precious Bible can be placed in the hands of a man, woman, or child in Siberia — someone who is longing to read God's Word.

A major change has been made this year. Churches are invited to keep up to 50 percent of the Bible Sunday collection to use in the local Bible-sharing ministry.

Materials for observing American Bible Society Sunday can be ordered free from the following address: Dr. Eugene B. Habecker, American Bible Society, Grand Central Station, P.O. Box 4630, New York, New York 10164-0851.

ANNUITY BOARD REPORT
Dr. Howard Hawkins, Representative
Lakeview Baptist Church

Five Reasons to Take a Look at the Church Annuity Plan

- 1. Family Protection Now — Financial Security Later.** If you qualify for state convention contributions, you or your beneficiary will receive a benefit if you become disabled or die before your reach retirement. This benefit is in addition to your entire retirement account balance.
- 2. Investment Opportunities.** In the Church Annuity Plan you choose among four investment funds. Leading investment managers oversee these funds. Their expertise provides the growth you want in your retirement account.
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- 4. Flexibility to Meet Individual Needs.** Contribution arrangements can be tailored to fit your situation. Both you and your church can contribute. The choice of funds allows you to adopt an investment strategy you are comfortable with at every stage of our life.
- 5. Matching Contributions.** In addition to paying for the Protection Section, disability and death benefits, your state convention may contribute up to \$17.50 a month to your retirement income account. That free contribution could add as much as \$4,000 a year to your retirement benefit for as long as you live.

The Church Annuity Plan is a retirement program designed exclusively for Southern Baptist ministers and church employees. Plan for your future by enrolling today. A call is all it takes to start the process. The toll-free number is 1-800-262-0511.

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- 3. Choices.** There is a broad choice of life options and a variety of medical coverages.
- 4. No cancellations.** The Annuity Board has never cancelled anyone's coverage for high or frequent claims.
- 5. Reliability.** The Annuity Board administers the Personal Security Program to obtain the best possible coverages at appropriate costs.

The Annuity Board has a total insurance program to meet your needs. Give them a call today at 1-800-262-0511.

ASSOCIATIONAL COUNCIL REPORT

**Rev. R. Dale Fisher, Director
Mount Zion Baptist Church**

The first meeting of the Associational Council during the new year was held at the Baptist Center on November 10, 1993. The council discussed upcoming activities.

On March 26, 1994, the council had an Annual Planning Retreat at the Baptist Center. The purpose of the association was reviewed, comments from the Listening Sessions sponsored by the Strategy Committee during February were carefully considered, strengths and weaknesses of the association were identified, the association's objectives were studied, and goals were discussed. Instructions were given on how to prepare for next year's calendar and budget.

An orientation meeting was sponsored by the Associational Council on April 7, 1994 for the Mission Performance Program Councils. Members of the fifteen program councils were instructed on the purpose and procedure of their work.

During April and May the Mission Performance Program Councils met to plan their individual calendars and budgets for the new year. Their plans were delivered to the Baptist Center by June 13, typed and compiled as the proposed calendar of activities. On June 21, the Associational Council met to review the proposals and to finalize the 1994-95 Calendar of Activities, which was presented to the messengers on July 28 for their approval.

On September 26, 1994, the Associational Council sponsored the Annual Associational Leadership Appreciation Banquet at the Sunrise Baptist Church. A delicious meal preceded music by "Psalm 66" and a brief message by Dale Fisher.

ASSOCIATIONAL MEETINGS COMMITTEE REPORT

**Rev. Dan Redding, Chairman
Center Grove Baptist Church**

The 1994 Quarterly Meetings of the Caldwell Baptist Messengers were held with the Mountain Grove Baptist Church on January 27, the Piney Grove Baptist Church on April 28, the Lower Creek Baptist Church on July 28, the Dudley Shoals Baptist Church on October 27 (Session One) and the Central Baptist Church on October 28 (Session Two). The two meetings in October served as the 110th Annual Meeting.

On July 28, 1994, the Caldwell Baptist Messengers approved the meeting places for 1995. The Quarterly Meetings will be held with the Meadowbrook Baptist Church on January 26, the Poovey's Grove Baptist Church on April 27, the Union Baptist Church on July 27, the North Catawba Baptist Church on October 26 (Session One) and the First Baptist Church of Lenoir on October 27 (Session Two). The meetings at North Catawba and First Lenoir will serve as the 111th Annual Meeting of the association.

The 1994-95 themes were chosen in light of the 1995 "Here's Hope. Jesus Cares for You" evangelistic effort. The theme for the fall meeting will be "Plowing the Ground", the winter meeting theme will be "Sowing the Seed", the spring meeting

theme will be "Cultivating the Field" and the summer meeting theme will be "Reaping the Harvest".

The Associational Meetings Committee met during 1994 on January 19, February 3, February 24, April 14, May 18, and August 18 to plan the various quarterly meetings. The committee is responsible for planning each program, enlisting program personalities, publicizing the meetings, arranging for the facilities, conducting the meetings and for recommending future meeting places each year.

Program highlights for 1993-94 included a senior adult choir and a program on celebrating missions in October, 1993. This was followed in January, 1994, with a message by Dr. William B. Stillerman, President of the Baptist Retirement Homes of North Carolina, who informed the messengers of tentative plans to build a Baptist retirement facility in Caldwell County. In April, 1994, Missionary Debbie Connell, shared a touching report on her work in Japan. The program in July, 1994, was a children's musical, entitled "Kid's Praise One".

BAPTIST CHILDREN'S HOMES OF NORTH CAROLINA REPORT

**Gale Little, Representative
College Avenue Baptist Church**

No matter how much adults try to convince themselves otherwise, children suffer when parents divorce.

Amber suffered. Because she blamed her mother for household turmoil, and because she was young and confused, Amber told her mother she hated her. She stopped communicating and became withdrawn. She chose wrong friends and attempted to take her own life.

In today's atmosphere, where divorce rocks as many marriages as it misses, thousands of children like Amber look for anchors. And in today's atmosphere, just as in the atmosphere of the 1880s, and every year since, Baptist Children's Homes provides that anchor for hundreds of children.

In 1992-93 BCH served 1,469 young people and their families, probably an all-time high.

Through services provided at 13 facilities statewide, BCH offered residential care, maternity care, a home for teenage mothers and their babies, therapeutic camping, model day care, emergency care and behavioral change.

Through the Cooperative Program, church budgets and the Thanksgiving Offering, Baptist churches provided about one-third of the \$11 million necessary to care for those children. Other revenue comes from payment for services on a sliding scale, foundations and corporations and individual gifts. A significant source of help comes from individuals who remember Baptist Children's Homes, and the children it serves, in their estate planning.

I couldn't handle what was going on at home," Amber said, after a year in the intensive group process at Kennedy Home. "I wanted a way out. I saw (suicide) as the only way. I had totally turned my back on God."

Under the tutelage of the Kennedy Home pastor, Amber has rededicated her life to the Lord and was baptized. She is now memorizing Scripture and doing devotions.

Between her renewed faith and the peer group process, Amber has begun to resolve the differences with her mother. When she graduates from Kennedy Home, she plans to live with her mother and sister.

"Just being able to talk through it with group and with staff helped make it better," Amber said. They helped me understand mom may have moved out, but she never left me. She's always been supportive."

Working through problems at BCH involves identifying your problems, putting a name to them. That helps a child realize he/she is not a "problem child" but is a "child with a problem."

"If I was alive without this place, I wouldn't be in a happy life," Amber said. "I'm really thankful there are places like this."

Amber's gratitude expresses the feelings of hundreds of children each year, and the staff who serves them. Many young people need BCH. Thankfully, many Baptist adults are committed to providing their needs, for Jesus' sake.

BAPTIST FOUNDATION OF NORTH CAROLINA REPORT

**Rev. Garland Higgins, Representative
Miller Hill Baptist Church**

With the 75th anniversary of the chartering of the NC Baptist Foundation approaching, it is exciting to reflect on the fulfillment of dreams of the founding fathers. The prayerful deliberation that led to the vote in the 1919 Baptist State Convention meeting for the beginning of "a trust agency" envisioned a viable entity which would promote and manage funds given by individuals for perpetual support of several struggling institutions and the mission programs at the heart of this missionary minded denomination.

As of December 31, 1993, the Foundation held \$45,878,748 under management. In 1993, \$1,243,217 was distributed to Baptist work and \$1,196,748 was distributed to individuals for a total income distribution of \$2,439,965.

The income distributions for the entire 74 year history of the NC Baptist Foundation totals: \$7,009,154 income paid to individuals and \$10,011,893 to Baptist churches, institutions and mission causes for a grand historical total of \$17,021,047.

In 1993, the staff of the Foundation consisted of seven full time employees and two persons who provided part-time service in accounting and legal services. In May of 1994, Rev. Coy H. Jeans, Jr. was employed by the Foundation Board as Western Area Manager of Trust and Endowment Development. Rev. Jeans will serve individuals in western North Carolina through estate stewardship planning to better provide for families and Christian endeavors. He will also work very closely with associations and churches in the area. We encourage western North Carolina Baptists to contact Rev. Jeans at his office in Marion at 704-652-9548. The Foundation's main office is located at 201 Convention Drive, Cary, N. C. 27511. Telephone 919-380-7334.

BAPTIST HOSPITAL OF NORTH CAROLINA REPORT

**Helen Poole, Representative
North Catawba Baptist Church**

Founded in 1922, Baptist Hospital is a missionary enterprise of the Baptist churches of North Carolina. The essence of our purpose is to carry out a ministry of healing as taught by Jesus Christ. We remain as fully committed to this mission as were our founding fathers. In the midst of changing health-care norms, we have not, nor will we, deviate from this mission. The following paragraphs report, not only basic facts, but various results of how we have sought in the last year to remain true to our heritage while providing quality health care at affordable prices.

PROVIDERS AND RECIPIENTS OF HEALING

Our Hospital healing team now consists of 5,777 employees. The Medical Center (North Carolina Baptist Hospital and Bowman Gray School of Medicine) personnel total employment is fast approaching 9,000 people making us the second largest employer in Forsyth County. In our 806-bed facility, we had 23,545 inpatient admissions during our fiscal year 1993-94. Our Outpatient Department, physician's clinics, and other related departments received 523,672 patient visits.

DEPARTMENT OF PASTORAL CARE

Our chaplaincy division joins with our health-care professionals to provide spiritual and emotional healing. With 15 to 35 chaplains present at various times, 58,747 ministries were provided to patients, families, staff and groups. Mission dollars from the Cooperative Program enabled this ministry to be carried out.

The Center for Congregational Health, in its second year of ministry as a part of our Department of Pastoral Care, continues to expand and strengthen. To date thru 1993, 40 ministers have completed intentional interim training and 29 are in training. The number of churches calling intentional interim pastors continues to increase. The training of consultants for conflicted churches and leadership training for young ministers were both begun.

The Pastoral Counseling Division now operates 12 counseling centers across the state. These centers provided 26,716 hours, a five percent increase over the previous year.

In December 1994, Dr. Dewey Hobbs will retire as Director of the Department of Pastoral Care. His eleven years of leadership and ministry have brought quality and expansion in every facet of the department.

BAPTIST BENEVOLENT CARE FUND

Last year Baptists across our state gave \$425,734 to our annual Mother's Day Offering. All of these monies went toward relieving the financial burden of scores of former patients who have little or no health-care insurance and no financial means to pay their hospital bills. The churches and individuals help make this ministry possible and we are grateful.

EXCELLENT FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP

In the midst of escalating health-care costs, we have a proven record of superb stewardship.

- (1) The latest report of the North Carolina Database Commission comparing the average of other state academic medical center charges vs. Baptist Hospital for our most frequent diagnoses reveals our charges are 21% lower.
- (2) We are one of only 17 hospitals nationally with a "AA" bond credit rating.

- (3) Averaging the last two years and the projection for 1994, the Consumer Price Index will average 2.8% and the Medical CPI for hospitals will average 8.9%. Baptist Hospital rate increases for the same period will average 1.8% under both the above-mentioned indexes.

MEETING THE CHALLENGES OF THE FUTURE

The health care environment is and will continue to be changing. Baptist Hospital is proactively facing these changes on a daily basis. Below are listed several visions which have recently been or will soon be realized.

Nursing Center at Oak Summit

Opened in July 1993 this 170-bed facility offers four levels of care. It is also one of only a few nursing centers in North Carolina that provides care for ventilator-dependent patients.

Emergency Department/Dietary Building

Progressing toward a late 1995 opening, this facility will expand our ED capacity to 70,000 visits annually. It will also house three floors of patient private rooms, our Pharmacy Department, a new kitchen and 900-seat cafeteria, and a 35-bed Day Hospital.

J. Paul Sticht Center on Aging and Rehabilitation

This building will usher in a new era in rehabilitation at our Medical Center. Housing a total of 128 beds, it will contain a geriatric day hospital which will aid the transition from hospital to home, inpatient rehabilitation nursing units, a psychiatric floor, geriatric research and education. Completion is targeted for 1996.

At home health care

Our Home Health Solutions provides our local region with parenteral nutrition and intravenous antibiotic therapy, chemotherapy and pain management. Home Health Specialists provides nursing care, personal care and physical and occupational therapy.

Center for Research on Human Nutrition and Chronic Disease Prevention

Our continued partnership with Bowman Gray School of Medicine enables our Medical Center to provide the highest quality of research, education and patient care. Quoting Dean Richard Janeway, "We are trying to prevent the major killers such as cancer, strokes and heart attacks. With this facility we'll be able to transfer the information straight to the patient's bedside."

COMMUNITY HOSPITAL ASSISTANCE

Developing relationships with community hospitals such as Stokes Reynolds in Danbury and Hoots Hospital in Yadkinville enables us to assist them in lowering costs as well as providing quality hospital and outpatient care. We anticipate expanding this endeavor to include other smaller, outlying hospitals. We also have significant affiliate relationships with hospitals in Wilkesboro, Lexington, and Mt. Airy and are in the process of developing other affiliate relationships.

QUALCHOICE OF NORTH CAROLINA

Joining with BGSM and Wake Forest University, Baptist Hospital has developed a managed care plan. Our design is one which offers affordable quality health care while providing the insured freedom of choice. This plan will be opened for public enrollment beginning January 1, 1995.

A CLOSING WORD

We continue to esteem our heritage, celebrate our current capabilities, and strive to position ourselves for the future. Your partnership, prayers, and utilization of our services inspires our dedication to our mission. We are grateful to God and to the North Carolina Baptist family.

BAPTIST RETIREMENT HOMES OF NORTH CAROLINA REPORT

Dr. Willard Jenkins, Representative
Mountain Grove Baptist Church

As a result of the wonderful support given by North Carolina Baptists, 1994 will be remembered as one of the finest years in the 43 year history of Baptist Retirement Homes. The following are some highlights from the year:

In recognition of its commitment to the spiritual well-being of the residents that it serves, Baptist Retirement Homes hired W. Paul Riggs to serve as Chaplain to the residents of the Prince Nursing Care Center in Winston-Salem and the Rickman Nursing Care Center in Asheville.

Reaffirming its commitment to the idea that retirement should be a "step-up" for Older Adults, the renovation of the Taylor House in Albemarle was completed and renovation of the Hamilton Baptist Home in Martin County was begun. When the renovation of the Hamilton Baptist Home is completed in mid-1995, all of the facilities operated by the Retirement Homes will be "State-of-the-Art."

In recognition of the changing profile of institutionalized Older Adults (47% of the "oldest old" in North Carolina suffer from some form of dementia), a special small group approach to the care for institutionalized Older Adults suffering from dementia was instituted at the Prince Nursing Care Center in Winston-Salem. Through the implementation of this program, Baptist Retirement Homes once again demonstrated its commitment to the principle that everyone has the right to age with dignity and to enjoy a certain quality of life throughout the aging process.

In an effort to provide Older Adults with affordable care, a sub-acute unit was developed at the Prince Nursing Care Center in Winston-Salem . . . a unit where frail Older Adults can receive such treatments as IV therapy, infusion, wound care, and stroke and bone fracture rehabilitation outside of a hospital setting.

In response to the need to provide quality long-term care services to the ever growing number of frail Baptist Older Adults, Baptist Retirement Homes expanded its nursing services in 1994 to include an additional 100 Older Adults (80% of that group being classified as the poor elderly . . . men and women who lack sufficient financial resources to pay for the institutional services they receive).

Thank you North Carolina Baptists for helping us make life for Older Adults . . .
The Best of Times!

BAPTIST WORLD ALLIANCE REPORT

Pam Estes, Representative
Lower Creek Baptist Church

The Baptist World Alliance began in 1905 as a worldwide organization for Baptists with the purpose of binding the various Baptist groups together in a unified way.

The alliance represents millions of Baptists in 180 conventions/unions sharing the good news of Jesus Christ in more than 200 countries.

The Alliance provides support and services in meeting human needs, building communication, encouraging research and study in human rights concerns, and promoting training in areas of education and evangelism. The world headquarters is located in McLean, Virginia and Denton Lotz is the General Secretary.

The next Baptist World Congress will be held from August 1-6, 1995 in Buenos Aires, Argentina. For more information, contact the alliance headquarters, 6733 Curran Street, McLean, Virginia 22101-6005 or call 1-703-790-8980.

BIBLICAL RECORDER REPORT

**Debbie Greene, Representative
Friendship Baptist Church**

The rapid changes taking place in our world have produced distorted values, violence, threats and uncertainty and the surrender of much that is good and wholesome while creating false heroes who fail. Baptists must rise up to face these decisions and issues before our window of opportunity is lost forever. We must not squander our heritage from yesterday and our mission for tomorrow.

There is no way to address these issues without correct and reliable information. The Biblical Recorder was born and continues to serve for that purpose. Never was the Recorder more needed than now, with charges and countercharges flying, with people trying to use and manipulate others.

People are reading less than any time in recent history. It is true of secular publications, it is true of wholesome books from respected libraries, it is true of religious publications. We live in an electronic age where many think they know the answers to the issues only to discover they do not. It is impossible to know in depth what is happening when we depend on "60-second sound bites" of news on television or radio.

An informed Baptist is a better Baptist; an uninformed Baptist may be an uninvolved or disruptive Baptist. No democracy, including our local churches, can survive long without an informed, involved constituency which makes decisions based upon accurate information from reliable sources.

The most important thing facing us at this point is to get the Recorder into more Baptist homes than ever before. Your support as a subscriber and reader and your encouragement to others will enable the paper to better serve the constituency with accurate and helpful information delivered to Baptist homes and churches. We need your help!

In order to save churches large amounts of money and to increase the readership of the Recorder, Church News Service (CNS) was launched in 1990. This system lets any congregation have their church news incorporated into the Biblical Recorder which saves staff time, postage and printing costs. Usually, for less than what it costs to produce the church newsletter, CNS gives the entire Baptist communication package to each family in the congregation. Anticipated increases in mailing costs makes CNS a greater value in 1995 than even when it was started in 1990.

The paper focuses more and more attention on North Carolina Baptists with news, features and inspirational articles which will encourage individuals and churches in their witness and ministry. One sure way to conquer problems and overcome the barriers to effective witness and ministry is to have the facts, know the issues and be adequately informed. With all the stress and disturbance in the world, "The North Carolina Baptist Way" has become even more important to us than ever before.

That is why the Recorder was born; that is why it serves today. For more information on how your church can subscribe or use CNS, contact: The Biblical Recorder, 232 West Millbrook Road, Raleigh, N.C. 27609 (919) 847-2127.

BIVOCATIONAL MINISTERS CONFERENCE REPORT

Rev. Dale Matheson, Chairman
Indian Hills Baptist Church

The Bivocational Ministers Conference is one of eight fellowship groups in the association. It is for all ordained pastors and other ministers who have a secular vocation in addition to their church vocation.

No specific events were planned just for bivocational ministers during the 1993-94 associational year. However, several meetings and events were conducted of interest to all ministers to which the bivocational ministers were invited. Some of the bivocational ministers took advantage of these events.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS REPORT

Rev. Robert Livingston, President
Yadkin Baptist Church

Ann L. Hatton, Secretary
Kings Creek Baptist Church

After a very busy 1992-93 Associational Year, the Board only met once during the past year. The meeting was held at the Baptist Center on October 7, 1993.

The Board discussed progress being made on the purchase of a van for the association and the sale of Caldwell Cottage at Ridgecrest. In addition, a lengthy discussion was held in regards to insurance plan for the association, for which the Board is responsible.

BROTHERHOOD PROGRAM COUNCIL REPORT

Earl Woods, Director
Mount Zion Baptist Church

The Brotherhood Council met quarterly to plan and evaluate the various activities sponsored by the council. The council is committed to helping churches involve men and boys in missions.

Baptist Men

On October 9, 1993 at Lakeview Baptist Church and on March 19, 1994 at Lower Creek Baptist Church, the Brotherhood Council sponsored a Baptist Men's Breakfast at each location. The program on October 9 dealt with Homeland Missions, Mission Projects within the Community, Disaster Relief and Reaching Boys through Programs, Activities and Involvement. On March 19 the men heard Robert Stroud share about the Ukraine Partnership.

On October 25, 1993, an Associational Brotherhood Workshop was held at Clover Baptist Church. The main focus of the workshop was "Working with Youth" led by Michael Capps, a youth counselor and seminar/retreat speaker. At the same time, a Baptist Men's Conference was led by Earl Woods for those who were not involved with the youth conference.

Royal Ambassadors

John Burns, Director — Union Baptist Church

I was very pleased with the support and participation we received from our RA Committee, our Sports Committee and many of our local churches this past year. I especially appreciate Earl Woods' leadership, advice and helping keep us on track. T.H. Pope and Rick Duffey worked hard in planning and conducting our Camparama and Field Day. Dwight Joplin and Mike Moore spent many hours planning and conducting the RA/HSBYM's basketball program and banquet. Dwight and Mike have added Lynn Parsons, Patrick Smith, Dennis Nelson and Earl Woods to their Sports Committee; and they have introduced new ideas that will help us be more effective in our associational basketball program.

At our Brotherhood Workshop on Monday, October 25, 1993, at Clover Baptist Church, Michael Capps conducted an excellent workshop on leadership for our RA leaders. Michael's experiences in working with youth were encouraging, challenging and inspirational. Michael gave us many new ideas that could help us to be more effective as we interact with our young people.

Michael Capps also conducted our annual RA Conclave program at Dudley Shoals Baptist Church on November 1, 1993, at 6:30 p.m. The Dudley Shoals Brotherhood prepared an excellent hotdog supper and fed 150 Royal Ambassadors and leaders. Michael demonstrated his techniques in conducting a youth program. I believe the adults, as well as the youth, received a blessing from his presentation. The "Highest Attendance Banner" was passed from Union Grove Baptist to Dudley Shoals Baptist and the "Highest Percentage Banner" was passed from Blue Ridge Baptist to Union Grove Baptist.

Saturday, November 13, 1993, at 8:00 a.m. we had 17 enter our "Fun Car Race" at Central Baptist Church Gym. The winners were as follows:

	<u>Lads</u>	<u>Crusaders</u>
1st	Marty Coffey, Mtn. View	Chad Church, Friendship
2nd	Chad Miller, Friendship	Dustin Stevens, Hartland
3rd	Austin Wallace, Hartland	Joseph Whittington, Mtn. Grove
	<u>Adults</u>	
1st	James Green, Mtn. Vics	
2nd	Carol Hedrick, Hartland	
3rd	Andy Hedrick, Hartland	

Twenty-six teams from eighteen churches participated in our basketball program this season, which began on November 18 at Harris Chapel Baptist Church Gym. Thanks again to Dwight Joplin and Mike Moore, we had a very smooth and enjoyable season of fun and fellowship. Our Sports Banquet and award presentations were at Harris Chapel Baptist Church, February 26, 1994. Jack Hodge, missionary to the PLO in Israel, assisted by his son, Daniel, presented our program; and Harris Chapel Pastor, Lynn Parsons, presented a challenge concerning our personal relationship with our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. The team winners were the following:

	<u>Place</u>	<u>Season</u>	<u>Tournament</u>
Crusaders -	1st	Mtn. Grove	Friendship
Friendship	2nd	Friendship	Mtn. Grove
	3rd	Penelope	Penelope
Pioneers -	1st	Meadowbrook	Meadowbrook
	2nd	Blue Ridge	Blue Ridge
	3rd	North Catawba	North Catawba
HSBYM -	1st	Mtn. Grove	Mt. Zion
	2nd	Union	Mtn. Grove
	3rd	Mt. Zion	Union Grove

Sportsmanship

Crusaders — Friendship

Pioneers — Mt. Zion

HSBYM — Harris Chapel

We had 96 cars from 14 churches enter the "RA Car Competition," on March 12, 1994, at the Granite Falls Recreation Center at 9:00 a.m. Trophies were given for the following:

	<u>Best Looking</u>	<u>Most Unusual</u>
Lads:	Brandon Hayes - Yadkin	Mark Byrd - Dudley Shoals
Crusader:	Tony Henson - Hartland	David Crouse - Mt. Zion
Adult:	Wayne Cox - Yadkin	Chuck Calloway - Mtn. Grove

	<u>Lads</u> (35 entered)	<u>Crusaders</u> (34 entered)
1st	Ross Turnmire, Mt. Zion	Dustin Stephens, Hartland
2nd	Gill Blackburn, Lower Crk	Matthew Walker, Mtn. Grove
3rd	Derek Wilson, Dry Ponds	Thomas Parsons, Lower Creek

	<u>Adults</u> (27 entered)
1st	Bryan Crouse, Mt. Zion
2nd	Steve Parker, Hartland
3rd	Cody Smith, Mtn. Grove

Our "Track Meet" for Lads, Crusaders, Pioneers and HSBYM was held at Hibriten High School April 23, 1994. Hotdogs and drinks were provided by our Disaster Relief Trailer Team at a very reasonable cost. Four churches participated in the event and Dudley Shoals took home the first place trophy; North Catawba took home the second place trophy; and Union Baptist took home the third place trophy. North Catawba participated in the "State Track Meet" in Ashboro, N. C and brought home several ribbons; with only four boys, they placed 5th out of twelve associations participating.

Our Camparama was scheduled for June 17-18, 1994. Kevin Smith presented the evening program. Forty-one people from five churches participated. We gave 1st, 2nd and 3rd place ribbons for every event for every age group. Trophies were given to churches with the most points. Hartland received 1st place, Dry Ponds 2nd place and Union 3rd place. The counselors and boys all had a good time and are looking forward to next year.

On September 10, 1994, we had only 16 RA boys and their fathers or counselors representing only 3 churches compete in our "Field Day" at Dry Ponds Baptist Church. It was a fun time and good opportunity for fathers and sons or counselors and boys to compete together in activities such as tug-of-war, softball throw, standing broad jump, 50 yard dash, sack race, air rifle and three-legged-race. Our goal is to provide fun activities that help to develop closer relationships between fathers and sons and/or counselors and boys.

I want to thank all of those who helped to make our year of 1993-94 successful. There is a strong desire to continue to improve our programs in order to be a more positive influence in the lives of the young men. Please feel free to communicate to me any ideas or suggestions you may have that would make our 1994-95 year even more fruitful.

CHRISTIAN HIGHER EDUCATION REPORT

One year and 338 days after Pearl Harbor, the Council on Christian Higher Education was created: November 17, 1943. The first Council meeting occurred January 17, 1944, four months and 20 days before D-Day. Reports to the Baptist State Convention in those years contained many references to World War II and its effects upon churches, communities, the colleges and Baptist work in general. It was a time of weakness and confusion. War was raging in Europe and the Pacific, and the outcome was still in doubt.

In such a time there were visionary Baptists who by faith could see beyond the clouds of war to the needs of peacetime. A Convention committee of 64 members labored almost two years before recommending that the Council be established. Chowan College was closed in 1944, Gardner-Webb College was not yet funded by the Convention and Wingate College received only \$5,000. The clear aim was to strengthen the colleges, increase their moral and financial support among Baptists, place Christian Higher Education high on the Baptist agenda, and to organize such efforts on a continuing basis.

In 1994, the Council on Christian Higher Education's 50th year of operation, let us give thanks for those pioneer Baptists whose foresight, insight and good works caused North Carolina Baptists to become leaders in the field of Christian Higher Education.

CHRISTIAN LIFE COUNCIL REPORT

Rev. Lynn Parsons, Director
Harris Chapel Baptist Church

Greetings from your Christian Life Council, in the name of our LORD JESUS CHRIST! Jesus has told us that one of the reasons He came was to give us life and life more abundantly. The abundant Christian life is found in a personal relationship to Jesus Christ as Savior, followed by obedience to the will and the Word of God,

as we are empowered by the Spirit of God. The Christian life is filled with many challenges. Some of these issues involve moral concerns such as alcohol and drug abuse, or the sanctity of human life. Other Christian life issues deal with our citizenship as we strive to represent Jesus in the midst of our society. Human relations are also a special part of the Christian life calling in which we are commanded by our LORD to show His love to all men, regardless of racial, financial or social status! Another important aspect of this abundant Christian life is that of social issues such as world hunger. The 1994 "Walk For The Hungry" event occurred on October 8, 1994. A total of 7 churches were involved, with 49 walkers and 12 additional helpers participating. This event raised \$1,179.71 in world hunger relief. Also, Sunday October 9 was our "World Hunger Day" emphasis. At the time of this report information is not available on our total 1994 world hunger missions giving, but in 1993 Caldwell Baptists gave a total of \$14,644.12 through the State Convention, with a total of 23 churches participating. The Christian Life Council has plans to use the media often in the coming year to bring about a greater awareness of Christian life concerns both within our churches and before the public at large. Please prayerfully support the many important special days of Christian life emphasis that are scheduled throughout the associational calendar year. Let us seize upon each one as an opportunity to live the "Christ Life" before a world that so badly needs Jesus!

CLERK'S REPORT

**Ann Hatton
Kings Creek Baptist Church**

**Winter Quarterly Meeting of the Messengers
Caldwell Baptist Association, Inc.**

Theme: "Here's Hope. A Call to Obedience"



**Mountain Grove Baptist Church
Thursday, January 27, 1994 — 7:00 P.M.**

P R O G R A M

7:00 pm	Call to Worship	Jean Shenton, Pianist
	Welcome	Willard Jenkins
	Theme Interpretation and Prayer	Barry Mershon
7:15	Call to Order	
	Adoption of Program	
	Recognition of visitors and first time messengers	Robert Livingston
7:20	Recognition of new pastors and staff	Dale Fisher
	Hymn No. 97 "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name"	
		Steven Kelly, Director
	Collection of Registration Cards	Ushers
7:25	Recommendation:	
	Nominating Committee	Jack Sprinkle
7:30	Reports:	
	Clerk	Ann Hatton
	Treasurer	Jack Spainhour
	True Love Waits	Matthew Fisher
7:35	Special Emphases:	
	Brotherhood	Earl Woods
	Evangelism	Steve Parker
	Missions Development	Joann Propst
	Prayer	Dolores Leftwich
8:00	Miscellaneous Business and Announcements	Messengers
8:05	Offertory Hymn No. 349 "When We Walk With the Lord"	
		Steven Kelly, Director
	Prayer for Earthquake Victims and Relief Workers	A.J. Singley
	Offering for California Earthquake Relief Fund	Congregation
8:10	Listening Sessions	Dale Fisher
8:20	Music - Solo	Sandra Arnett
8:30	Baptist Retirement Homes of North Carolina	
		Dr. William B. Stillerman, President
9:00	Adjournment of the Winter Quarterly Meeting	Robert Livingston
	Benediction	

P R O C E E D I N G S

1. Jean Shenton, pianist for the Mountain Grove Baptist Church, gave the call to worship as messengers and visitors gathered for the 1994 Winter Quarterly Meeting.
2. Dr. Willard Jenkins, associate pastor of the host church, gave the welcome.
3. The theme interpretation and prayer were given by Rev. Barry Mershon, associate pastor of the Flemings Chapel Baptist Church.
4. Moderator, Robert Livingston, called the meeting to order, asked for the adoption of the program and recognized first time messengers and visitors.
5. Director of Missions, Dale Fisher, asked new pastors or staff to stand but none were present.
6. Steven Kelly, minister of music for the Union Grove Baptist Church, led the congregation as they sang "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name". Ushers collected registration cards following the hymn.

7. Rev. Jack Sprinkle, chairman of the Nominating Committee for the association, brought the recommendation from that committee on the 1994-95 Mission Performance Program Directors and needed Administrative Service members. The recommendation was voted on and approved by the messengers. The recommendation was as follows:

**Mission Performance Program Directors
October 1, 1994 - September 30, 1995**

COUNCIL	DIRECTOR	CHURCH
1. Brotherhood	Earl Woods	Mt. Zion
* 2. Christian Life	Lynn Parsons	Harris Chapel
3. Discipleship Training	Robert Weathers	Dudley Shoals
4. Evangelism	Steve Parker	Hartland
5. Family Ministry	Michael Isaacs	Hudson First
6. Media Library	Bobbi Watson	Miller Hill
7. Missions Development	Joann Propst	Rhodhiss First
8. Music Ministry	Sherrill German	Yadkin
9. Pastoral Ministries	Tom Small	Buffalo Cove
10. Prayer	Roger Parker	Baton
11. Recreation	Shawn Alexander	Central
12. Seminary Extension	Wayne Bumgardner	Center Grove
13. Stewardship	Elsie Angley	Clark's Chapel
*14. Sunday School	Phil Duncan	Mt. Zion
15. WMU	Alma Helton	Dudley Shoals

Administrative Services

*Vice-Moderator/Vice-President: Bob Lowman (Kings Creek Church)
Route 1, Box 444, Lenoir, N. C. 28645 (754-6682)

*Assoc. Meetings Comm.: Dan Redding, Chm. (Center Grove Church)
Route 4, Box 826, Hudson, N. C. 28638 (396-3224)

*These positions are currently vacant. The committee requests that these individuals begin service immediately upon election.

8. Ann Hatton, clerk, instructed the messengers to pick up their 1993 Annual Minutes at the close of the meeting. She informed the messengers that they would be asked to approve the Fall and Winter Quarterly minutes at the Spring meeting.

9. Treasurer, Jack Spainhour, gave the financial report. The report was approved.
 10. Special emphases on the purpose and upcoming events of the Brotherhood, Evangelism, Missions Development and Prayer Councils was presented by each council director.
 11. During the time for miscellaneous business prayer requests were expressed for several Caldwell Baptists. Moderator Livingston led in prayer remembering those who had been named.
 12. Steven Kelly directed the congregation as they sang "When We Walk with the Lord."
 13. Rev. A.J. Singley led in prayer for the California earthquake victims. Following the prayer a special offering was taken for the earthquake victims. A total of \$ 202.58 was collected.
 14. Rev. Fisher explained the upcoming Listening Sessions which have been planned for the association. These sessions are designed to give the churches the opportunity to express to the associational leadership what their needs are and how the association can help them. Three sessions have been planned in three different areas of the county. Following the sessions the new associational calendar will be developed according to the needs expressed.
- Rev. Fisher also introduced the featured speaker for the Winter Quarterly Meeting. He is Bill Stillerman, president of the Baptist Retirement Homes of North Carolina. Mr. Stillerman brought his message following the solo by Sandra Arnett, member of Mountain Grove Baptist Church.
15. Mr. Stillerman brought greetings from the Baptist Retirement Homes and expressed an interest in building a retirement home in Caldwell County. Messengers were asked to begin thinking and praying about a proposed retirement facility for our county.
 16. Moderator Livingston adjourned the meeting and Don Ingle, pastor of the Dudley Shoals Baptist Church, gave the benediction.

ATTENDANCE REPORT

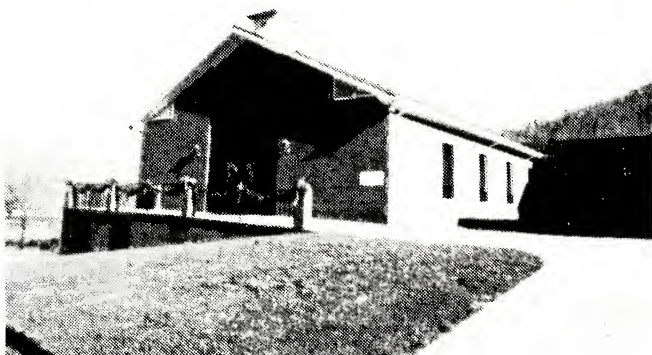
94 Messengers — 11 Visitors - 105 Total Present

There were 12 pastors present. The following 28 churches were represented at the Winter Quarterly Meeting.

*Baton - 1	Calvary - 1	Center Grove - 2
*Central - 2	*Clark's Chapel - 4	Clover - 4
*Dudley Shoals - 8	*Flemings Chapel - 4	*Friendship - 6
*Harris Chapel - 1	*Hartland - 5	Hudson First - 3
Kings Creek - 1	Lakeview - 3	Lenoir First - 1
Lower Creek - 5	Meadowbrook - 2	Miller Hill - 3
Mount Zion - 9	Mountain Grove - 11	Mulberry - 1
*North Catawba - 3	*Rhodhiss First - 3	*Setzer Creek - 4
Union - 2	Union Grove - 4	Whitnel First - 8
*Yadkin - 2	Visitors - 2	*Pastor present

**Spring Quarterly Meeting of the Messengers
Caldwell Baptist Association, Inc.**

Theme: "Here's Hope. A Response to Jesus"



**Piney Grove Baptist Church
Thursday, April 28, 1994 — 7:00 P.M.**

P R O G R A M

7:00 pm	Call to Worship	"Psalm 66" Quartet
7:10	Welcome	Gilbert Larew
	Theme Interpretation and Prayer	Tom Small
7:20	Call to Order	
	Adoption of Program	
	Recognition of visitors and first time messengers	Robert Livingston
7:25	Recognition of new pastors and staff	Dale Fisher
	Hymn No. 305: "Take the Name of Jesus with You"	Congregation
	Collection of Registration Cards	Roger Dula, Director
	Recommendation:	Ushers
7:30	Nominating Committee	Jack Sprinkle
7:40	Reports:	
	Clerk	Ann Hatton
	Treasurer	Jack Spainhour
7:45	Special Emphases:	
	Annuity Board	Howard Hawkins
	Family Ministry	Michael Isaacs
	Music Ministry	Sherrill German
8:05	Miscellaneous Business and Announcements	Messengers
8:10	Hymn No. 348: "Let Others See Jesus in You"	Congregation
	"Japan's Response to Jesus"	Roger Dula, Director
8:15	Adjournment of the Spring Quarterly Meeting	Debbie Connell
8:55	Benediction	Robert Livingston

P R O C E E D I N G S

1. Messengers and visitors were blessed as the call to worship was given by the quartet "Psalms 66". Members of the quartet are Keith Haas, Tony Ruppard, Ryan Greene and Terry Gentry.
2. Gilbert Larew, pastor of the host church, gave the welcome.
3. Tom Small, pastor of the Buffalo Cove Church, gave the theme interpretation. He read scripture from Ephesians 2 and led in prayer.
4. Moderator Robert Livingston, called the meeting to order, asked for the adoption of the program and recognized first time messengers and visitors.
5. Director of Missions Dale Fisher, asked new pastors or staff to stand but none were present. Rev. Fisher explained that the van ordered by the association had arrived in February. He led in a prayer of dedication for the van, disaster relief trailer and the associational building.
6. Roger Dula, Music Director for the Piney Grove Church, led the congregation as they sang "Take the Name of Jesus with You". Following the hymn, registration cards were collected by the ushers.
7. The Nominating Committee's recommendation of nominees for associational leadership was presented by committee chairman, Jack Sprinkle. All nominees were approved by the messengers and will serve October 1, 1994-September 30, 1995. A complete list of all associational leadership will be listed in the 1994 Annual Minutes.
8. The minutes of the Fall and Winter Quarterly Meetings were presented by the clerk for the messengers approval. The minutes were approved.
9. Treasurer, Jack Spainhour, gave the financial report of the association as information. He reported that the finances of the association were in good standing for the first six months of the year.
10. Howard Hawkins, associational representative for the Annuity Board, gave information on the purpose and standing of that board. Family Ministry Director, Mike Isaacs, and Music Council Director, Sherrill German, reported the purpose and upcoming events of their programs.
11. During the time for miscellaneous business, messengers brought attention to the following items:
 - a. Elizabeth Campbell stated that she came to this association 50 years ago on June 1, 1994.
 - b. Pastors from Yadkin, Hudson First, Setzer Creek and Mtn. View reported that their churches would be holding revivals the first week of May.
 - c. Missions Development Director, Joann Propst, reminded messengers of the "Hope for Hurting Humanity" emphases which is scheduled by the convention for June 19-July 31, 1994.
 - d. Messengers were reminded that May 1 is "Turn Off Your TV" Day.

Moderator Livingston led in prayer following these announcements.

12. The congregation, led by Roger Dula, sang "Let Others See Jesus in You".

13. Brooks Walker, a member of the Associational Meetings Committee, introduced the keynote speaker for the evening, Mrs. Debbie Connell, Missionary to Japan.
14. Mrs. Connell gave her testimony and sang in Japanese. She also shared slides of her life and work in Japan.
15. Moderator Livingston adjourned the meeting and Tom Small, pastor of the Buffalo Cove Church, gave the benediction.

ATTENDANCE REPORT

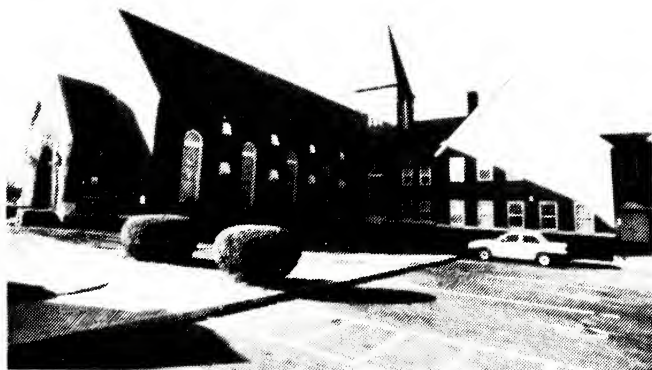
99 Messengers - 21 Visitors - 120 Total Present

There were 12 pastors present. The following 33 churches were represented at the Springs Quarterly Meeting.

*Baton - 3	*Buffalo Cove - 3	Calvary - 1
*Central - 5	*Clarks Chapel - 9	Clover - 2
College Avenue - 1	Dudley Shoals - 4	Flemings Chapel - 2
Friendship - 4	*Gethsemane - 3	Harris Chapel - 1
Hartland - 4	*Hudson First - 5	Kings Creek - 1
Lakeview - 2	Lenoir First - 2	Lower Creek - 4
Meadowbrook - 2	Miller Hill - 3	Mount Zion - 7
Mountain Grove - 3	*Mountain View - 3	Mulvale - 1
North Catawba - 6	*Oak Grove - 4	*Piney Grove - 8
Rhodhiss First - 1	*Setzer Creek - 3	Union - 2
Union Grove - 2	Whitnel First - 1	*Yadkin - 10
Visitors - 8	*Pastor present	

**Summer Quarterly Meeting of the Messengers
Caldwell Baptist Association, Inc.**

Theme: "Here's Hope. A Message to Share"



**Lower Creek Baptist Church
Thursday, July 28, 1994 — 7:00 P.M.**

P R O G R A M

6:55 pm	Instrumental Prelude	Elaine Blackburn & Kathy Johnson
7:00	Scripture and Prayer	Gary Teague
7:05	Welcome	Doug Jordan
7:10	Call to Order	
	Adoption of Program	
	Recognition of visitors and first time messengers	Robert Livingston
7:15	Recognition of new pastors and staff	Dale Fisher
	Hymn No. 69: "O For A Thousand Tongues to Sing"	Congregation
		Gilbert Blackburn, Director
	Collection of Registration Cards	Ushers
7:20	Reports:	
	Clerk	Ann Hatton
	Treasurer	Jack Spainhour
7:25	Recommendations:	
	Associational Meetings Committee	Dan Redding
	Associational Council	Dale Fisher
	Finance Committee	Jack Spainhour
	Strategy Committee	Fred King
7:40	Miscellaneous Business and Announcements	Messengers
7:45	Associational Emphases and Reports	
	Christian Life Council	Lynn Parsons
	New York Mission Project	Marlene Alexander
	Recreation	Shawn Alexander
	Seminary Extension	Wayne Bumgardner
8:10	Hymn No. 461: "I Love to Tell the Story"	Congregation
		Gilbert Blackburn, Director
8:15	Children's Musical "Kids Praise One"	Sylvia Pinson, Director
9:00	Adjournment of the Summer Quarterly Meeting	Robert Livingston
	Benediction	

P R O C E E D I N G S

1. Elaine Blackburn and Kathy Johnson, members of the host church, gave an instrumental prelude as messengers and visitors gathered for the Summer Quarterly Meeting.
2. Gary Teague, pastor of Mulvale Church, read scripture from John chapter 4 and led in prayer.
3. Doug Jordan, minister of education for the host church, gave the welcome.
4. Moderator Robert Livingston, called the meeting to order, asked for the adoption of the program and recognized first time messengers and visitors.
5. New pastors and staff were recognized by the Director of Missions. Those present were Gary and Gay Teague, pastor of the Mulvale Church and Duane Kuykendall, pastor of Mount Zion Church.
6. Gilbert Blackburn, minister of music for the host church, led the congregation as they sang "O For A Thousand Tongues to Sing". Following the hymn the registration cards were collected by the ushers.

7. Minutes of the previous quarterly meeting were presented by the clerk, Ann Hatton. The minutes were approved as printed.
8. Treasurer Jack Spainhour gave the treasurer's report as information.
9. The following recommendations were presented by various councils and committees:

a. **ASSOCIATIONAL COUNCIL RECOMMENDATION**

A major responsibility of the Associational Council is to prepare an annual Calendar of Activities for the association and to present it to the messengers for consideration during their Summer Quarterly Meeting. It takes several months of work each year, involving many people, to accomplish this task.

The Calendar of Activities, upon approval of the messengers, will guide the work of the association from October 1, 1994 through September 30, 1995. Tentative dates for October 1 — December 31, 1995 are also included.

The Associational Council recommends:

1. That the 1994-95 Calendar of Activities for the Caldwell Baptist Association, Incorporated be approved by the messengers as presented.
2. That permission be given to the Associational Council and to the Associational Staff to make necessary changes to the calendar as needed.
3. That the Associational Goals for the 1994-95 Special Offerings be approved as printed on page 19 of the Calendar of Activities.

These recommendations were presented by council director Dale Fisher. All three recommendations from this council were approved by the messengers.

b. **ASSOCIATIONAL MEETINGS COMM. RECOMMENDATION**

1994-95 Quarterly Meetings of the Caldwell Baptist Messengers

Fall Quarterly (110th Annual) Meeting
Session One: Dudley Shoals Baptist Church
Thursday, October 27, 1994 — 7:00 p.m.

Session Two: Central Baptist Church
Friday, October 28 1994 — 9:00 a.m.
~ Lunch ~

Theme: "Plowing the Ground"

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Winter Quarterly Meeting
Meadowbrook Baptist Church
Thursday, January 26, 1995 — 7:00 p.m.
Theme: "Sowing the Seed"

Spring Quarterly Meeting
 Poovey's Grove Baptist Church
 Thursday, April 27, 1995 — 7:00 p.m.
 Theme: "Cultivating the Field"

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Summer Quarterly Meeting
 Union Baptist Church
 Thursday, July 27, 1995 — 7:00 p.m.
 Theme: "Reaping the Harvest"

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Fall Quarterly (111th) Meeting
 Session One: North Catawba Baptist Church
 Thursday, October 26, 1995 — 7:00 p.m.

Session Two: First Baptist Church Lenoir
 Friday, October 27, 1995 — 9:00 a.m.
 ~ Lunch ~

(The theme for the 111th Annual Meeting will be presented to the Messengers of July 27, 1995.)

Dale Fisher presented this recommendation from the Associational Meetings Committee on behalf of committee chairman Dan Redding. The recommendation was approved.

c. **FINANCE COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION**

The Finance Committee recommends approval of the 1994-95 Ministry Budget as printed in the Summer Quarterly Book of Reports. This budget will also be printed in the 1994 Annual Minutes.

The 1994-95 Ministry Budget was presented by Jack Spainhour on behalf of Alvin Daughtridge, committee chairman. Messengers approved the budget as presented.

d. **NOMINATING COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION**

The following additions to the 1994-95 Associational Leadership were approved by the messengers.

Board of Directors

District VI: Joe Sims (Dudley Shoals Church) 1996 (unexpired term)

Personnel Committee

Nancy Ramsey (Dry Ponds Church) 1995 (unexpired term)

FELLOWSHIP GROUPS

Ministers Wives' Planning Committee

Mary Small (Buffalo Cove Church)

MISSION PERFORMANCE PROGRAM COUNCILS**Discipleship Training**

New Member/Equipping Center Dir.: Roger Beck (Meadowbrook)

Missions Development

1995 Green Mountain Park Coordinator Teams

March/July: J. W. Crouse

April/August: J.B. and Joan Crouse

May/September: Howard and Marline Barnes

June/October: Lawrence Robertson

Sunday School

1995 Vacation Bible School

Older Preschool Director: Donna Miller (Mt. Zion Church)

Youth Director: Angie Derrick (Union Church)

Adult Director: Ken Mashburn (Setzer Creek Church)

e. STRATEGY COMMITTEE REPORT

The following amendments to the Bylaws of the Caldwell Baptist Association, Inc. are presented as information to the Messengers from the Strategy Committee. Discussion and vote will be take place on Friday, October 28, 1994 during the Fall/Annual Meeting of the Messengers. The meeting will begin at 9:00 a.m. at the Central Baptist Church.

- (1) **EXTERNAL RELATIONS COMMITTEE** (Pages 171-173, 1993 Annual Minutes)

(Delete) "the General Board of the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina (two representatives)",

(New paragraph) The current representatives from the Caldwell Association on the General Board of the North Carolina Baptist State Convention serve on this committee as ex-officio members. These representatives are selected and elected by the convention.

(Purpose: The current reading implies that the association selects and elects these representatives, which is not true.)

- (2) **MISSION PERFORMANCE PROGRAMS** (Pages 180FF, 1993 Annual Minutes)

Change "Mission Performance Programs" to "Church Assistance Programs".

(Purpose: The change in title better describes the function of these programs.)

- (3) **PRINTED MATERIAL** (Page 184, 1993 Annual Minutes)

Change "Uniform Church Letter to "Annual Church Profile".

(Purpose: The Baptist Sunday School Board has made this change. The Uniform Church Letter no longer exists.)

10. No miscellaneous business or announcements were made by the messengers.

11. The following councils gave reports of their activities :

- a. Lynn Parsons, director of the Christian Life Council, promoted the upcoming World Hunger Walk which is sponsored by that council. The walk will take place on Saturday, October 8, 1994 at 10:00 a.m. The walk will begin at the Hudson Middle School and conclude at the First Baptist Church of Hudson.
- b. Marlene Alexander, Home Missions Promotion and Projects Director, gave the report on the 1994 Home Mission Trip to Watertown, New York. Among the highlights of the trip were 146 children enrolled in five Backyard Bible Clubs and 11 professions of faith. In closing, Marlene shared prayer requests from the members of the Anchor Way Baptist Church in Watertown.
- c. Recreation Council Director Shawn Alexander, reported on the Recreation Carousel which was sponsored by that council this past year and will be again on May 16, 1995. He expressed a desire to help any church which would like to increase their ministry through recreation endeavors.
- d. On behalf of the Seminary Extension Council, director Wayne Bumgardner brought reports on classes that are scheduled to be taught in the Fall of 1994 and the Spring of 1995. Mr. Bumgardner encouraged those present to become involved in Seminary Extension. He described the classes as an excellent tool for laymen to use to increase their knowledge of the Bible.

Following the reports director of missions Dale Fisher led the congregation in prayer. He specifically prayed for the prayer request made by those in Watertown, New York and for the recent flood victims in Georgia.

11. The congregation sang "I Love to Tell the Story" led by Gilbert Blackburn.
12. The highlight of the program was the Children's Musical which was directed by Sylvia Pinson. Approximately 50 children blessed our hearts as they gave their presentation of "Kids Praise One".
13. Moderator Livingston dismissed the meeting and led the benediction.

ATTENDANCE REPORT

100 Messengers — 89 Visitors - 189 Total Present

There were 12 pastors present. The following 31 churches were represented at the Summer Quarterly Meeting.

*Baton - 2	Calvary - 1	Center Grove - 3
*Central - 7	*Clarks Chapel - 7	Clover - 2
Dudley Shoals - 3	Fellowship - 1	Friendship - 5
*Harris Chapel - 1	Hartland - 4	Hudson First - 2
Kings Creek - 5	*Lakeview - 4	Lenoir First - 4
Lower Creek - 2	Miller Hill - 2	*Mount Zion - 12
Mountain Grove - 3	Mulberry - 2	*Mulvale - 2
Nelsons Chapel - 1	*North Catawba - 9	*Oak Grove - 2
Piney Grove - 2	*Pooveys Chapel - 1	*Pooveys Grove - 7
Union - 5	Union Grove - 2	Whitnel First - 4
*Yadkin - 11	Visitors - 71	*Pastor present

**Fall Quarterly (110th Annual) Meeting of the Messengers
Caldwell Baptist Association, Inc.**

Theme: "Plowing the Ground"



**FIRST SESSION
Dudley Shoals Baptist Church
Thursday, October 27, 1994 — 7:00 P.M.**

1. Kona Reid and Lois Whisnant, from the Dudley Shoals Church, presented an instrumental prelude as messengers and visitors gathered for the 110th Annual Meeting of the Caldwell Baptist Association.
2. The congregation sang "Rescue the Perishing" led by Darrell Richards of the Dudley Shoals Church.
3. The Theme for the meeting was "Plowing the Ground". David Payne, pastor of Flemings Chapel Church, gave the interpretation of the theme.
4. Rev. Don Ingle, host pastor, gave the welcome.
5. Director of Missions Dale Fisher officially presented the gavel to moderator Robert Livingston. He expressed appreciation to Rev. Livingston for the fine job he does conducting the meetings of the association.
6. Moderator Robert Livingston called the meeting to order, asked for the adoption of the program, recognized first time messengers and visitors and led in prayer.
7. New pastors or staff were recognized by Rev. Fisher but none were present.
8. The congregation sang "We Have Heard the Joyful Sound" followed by the collection of registration cards.
9. On behalf of the Membership Committee, Rev. Fisher presented the following recommendations from that committee. Both recommendations were approved by the messengers.

a. **RECOMMENDATION NUMBER ONE**

The Gethsemane Baptist Church has requested membership in the Caldwell Baptist Association, Incorporated. The Membership Committee has considered their request, met with members of the church and participated in their Service of Constitution.

The Membership Committee feels that the church genuinely wants to be Southern Baptist in faith and practice. Therefore, the committee recommends that the Messengers receive the Gethsemane Baptist Church as a full member of the Caldwell Baptist Association, Incorporated as of Thursday, October 27, 1994.

b. **RECOMMENDATION NUMBER TWO**

The Providence Baptist Church has requested membership in the Caldwell Baptist Association, Incorporated. The Membership Committee has considered their request, met with members of the church and participated in their Service of Constitution.

The Membership Committee feels that the church genuinely wants to be Southern Baptist in faith and practice. Therefore, the committee recommends that the Messengers receive the Providence Baptist Church as a full member of the Caldwell Baptist Association, Incorporated as of Thursday, October 27, 1994.

9. A brief report on the progress of the following Caldwell Baptists projects was given by various individuals.

- a. Reporting on the progress of the Baptist Retirement Home Project in Caldwell County was Rev. Fisher. He reported that the Steering Committee for the project is in place and will begin their work on Monday, October 31, 1994. He expressed an expectation of three to five years to complete the project.
- b. Dr. Paul Childers, pastor of the Concord Church, gave information on the Hispanic mission which is being sponsored by his church. He introduced the pastor of the mission, Rev. Renaldo Cantu and his wife Juanita, who were present. He also asked that all Caldwell Baptists pray for the mission.
- c. The Hospital Ministry, which is sponsored by the Missions Development Council of the association, was reported on by Darlene Townsend. The volunteers who have helped with the project were thanked but a urgent plea was expressed for additional volunteers.
- d. Paul Sizemore, pastor of the New Life Church, shared about the LEO Ministry which was started by his church. The prime objective of this ministry is to reclaim Caldwell County for Christ. This ministry is experiencing great success but as in all endeavors additional volunteers are needed. Rev. Sizemore invited all Caldwell Baptists to come and be a part of this ministry.
- e. Joann Propst, director of the Missions Development Council, shared a request from the Baptist State Convention for volunteers to go to Kenya. She stated that 1,400 volunteers are needed to plant 100 churches in a 30 mile radius. The date set aside for Caldwell Baptists to share in this great mission opportunity is June 3 - 17, 1995.

After the reports were completed, Rev. Fisher led in a prayer for these projects.

10. Darrell Richards led the congregation as they sang "Set My Soul Afire".
11. Brooks Walker, from the North Catawba Church, introduced Dr. Roy Cooper. Dr. Cooper, missionary to Costa Rico, was the featured speaker for the evening.
12. Darrell Richards, Luda Richards and David Thacker, the Dudley Shoals Trio, presented special music prior to Dr. Cooper's message.
13. Dr. Cooper used Acts Chapter 8 as his text. He praised Caldwell Baptists for sharing in the ministry. He reminded them that with God's help it only takes ordinary people to do extraordinary things.
14. Vice-moderator, Bob Lowman gave the benediction and adjourned the meeting.



SECOND SESSION
Central Baptist Church
Friday, October 28, 1994 — 9:00 A.M.

1. The instrumental prelude was presented by pianist, Ronda Griffin and organist, Marlene Alexander. Both ladies are members of the host church.
2. The congregation sang "More About Jesus". Phil Duncan, minister of music for the Mount Zion Church, led the music for the second session.
3. Dr. Duane Kuykendall, pastor of the Mount Zion Church, read scripture from Joshua Chapter 1 and led in prayer.
4. Moderator Livingston called the meeting to order and again recognized visitors of first-time messengers.
5. Following the singing of the hymn "Send the Light" the ushers collected the registration cards.

6. Reports from the clerk and treasurer were presented to the messengers as information.
7. The following recommendations were presented to the messengers. Each recommendation was approved as presented.
 - a. Missions Development Council Recommendations
 1. The Missions Development Council recommends that the home mission trip scheduled for July 15-22, 1995 be changed to a weekend mission trip. The date will be given later when a suitable location has been found. It is difficult for some people to go on an eight day trip. Hopefully, this change will allow some hands on mission experience for those who have not had the opportunity to go in the past.
 2. The Missions Development Council recommends that the association sponsor a foreign, evangelistic mission trip to Kenya, sometime between June 3 - July 17, 1995. The Baptist Mission of Kenya has requested from the Foreign Mission Board, that 1,400 volunteers come to Kenya to help win 75,000-100,000 people to faith in Christ, and to plant 100 new Baptist churches in a 30-mile radius of the capitol city, Nairobi.

The project will involve training 1,500 Kenyan pastors and church leaders, doing one-on-one evangelism, stadium crusades, discipleship and possibly some church construction. The need is great and the Foreign Mission Board has requested and needs our help.

- b. Nominating Committee Recommendations
 - Associational Leadership Nominees
 - October 1, 1994 - September 30, 1995

MISSION PERFORMANCE PROGRAM COUNCILS

Family Ministry Council

Secretary: Sherry Austin (FBC Hudson)

Missions Development Council

Secretary: Darlene Townsend (Buffalo Cove)

Music Ministry Council

Adult Coordinator: Rev. Gilbert Blackburn (Lower Creek)

Secretary: Steven Kelly (Union Grove)

Stewardship Council

Secretary: Lillian Young (Friendship)

Sunday School Council

Secretary: Donna Miller (Mount Zion)

Vacation Bible School

Middle Children: Alicia Raby (Friendship) and Janie Cloer (Friendship)

Woman's Missionary Union Council

Associate Acteens Director: Dawn Cole (Clover)

c. Strategy Committee Recommendation

The following amendments were presented to the Messengers as information during their Summer Quarterly Meeting on July 28, 1994. The amendments have gone through the proper procedure for presentation, discussion and vote during the Fall Quarterly/110th Annual Meeting.

Article VII: Organization and Leadership

Section 1.

D. ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES

2. Committees:

c. EXTERNAL RELATIONS COMMITTEE (Pages 171-172, 1993 Annual Minutes)

(Delete from second paragraph) "the General Board of the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina (two representatives)",

(Add a third paragraph) The current representatives from the Caldwell Association on the General Board of the North Carolina Baptist State Convention serve on this committee as ex-officio members. These representatives are selected and elected by the convention.

(Purpose: The current reading implies that the association selects and elects these representatives, which is not true.)

E. MISSION PERFORMANCE PROGRAMS (Pages 180ff, 1993 Annual Minutes)

Change "Mission Performance Programs" to "Church Assistance Programs" in all places mentioned.

(Purpose: The change in title better describes the function of these programs.)

Article VIII: Printed MaterialSection 6. (Page 104, 1993 Annual Minutes)

Change "Uniform Church Letter" to "Annual Church Profile".

(Purpose: The Baptist Sunday School Board has made this change. The Uniform Church Letter no longer exists.)

8. During the time for miscellaneous business several announcements were made along with specific prayer requests. Following the prayer requests, Moderator Livingston, led in prayer.
9. Rev. Duncan led the congregation as they sang "Blessed Assurance Jesus Is Mine".
10. Various people shared a brief emphases on the following:

- a. Bob Lowman, chairman of the Communications Committee, shared a new means of spreading the news and purpose of the association. Each quarter a bulletin insert called the "Communicator" will be made available to the churches. The insert will tell what has happened and what will be happening in the association. It will also keep before the people the purpose of the association.
- b. "M" Night was the main emphasis shared by Discipleship Training Director, Bob Weathers. Dr. Jerry Sutton of the Two Rivers Baptist Church in Nashville, Tennessee will be the featured speaker.
- c. Rev. Tom Small, director of the Pastoral Ministries Council, shared that the council is available to assist with any administrative needs the churches may have.
- d. The 1995 Stewardship Conference was promoted by council director, Elsie Angley. The conference will be led by Talmadge Williams, Stewardship Development Director for the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina.
- e. The 1995 Sunday School outreach emphasis is called "Break Through Net 2". Associational Sunday School Council Director Phil Duncan shared June 1, 1995 as the date of the Associational Outreach Conference and July 11 for the 1995 Sunday School Rally.
- f. Barbara Fisher, Associational Youth Director, gave an update of the 1994 "True Love Waits" campaign. She shared that 445 Caldwell youth from 41 Baptist Churches and 5 other denominations participated. A total of 271 youth made a public commitment to maintain sexual purity until marriage. In order to support the youth who made this commitment, each February a renewed emphasis will be placed on this campaign.
- g. Caldwell WMU continued to do an outstanding job as reported by Council Director, Alma Helton. This year all North Carolina WMU will be sponsoring a food ingathering on February 12. Each church member is being asked to bring one can of food and one quarter. This ingathering will remain in our county to be used specifically for our needs.
11. Roy Holder from the Church Extension Department brought greetings from the convention office. He thanked Caldwell Baptists for their support through the North Carolina Missions Offering.
12. Donna Lail from the Baptist Children's Homes thanked Caldwell Baptists for their continued support of the Children's Homes. She also shared a few immediate needs at the Noel Home and Care House.
13. After a short break, Rev. Duncan led the congregation as they sang "Down At the Cross".
14. Rev. Livingston introduced the Director of Missions, Dale Fisher. Rev. Fisher brought the annual State of the Association message. He used as his text Matthew chapter 8, as he reminded Caldwell Baptists that as we do our work we must always "Come to Jesus".
15. Rev. Livingston adjourned the meeting. The host pastor, Rev. Jernigan, gave the benediction and instructions for lunch.

ATTENDANCE REPORT**169 Messengers - 27 Visitors - 196 Total Present**

*Baton - 3	*Buffalo Cove - 4	Calvary - 1
Center Grove - 3	*Central - 6	Clark's Chapel - 2
Clover - 3	College Avenue - 1	*Concord - 2
*Dudley Shoals - 15	Fellowship - 4	*Flemings Chapel - 3
*Friendship - 10	*Gethsemane - 6	Grandin - 1
Grandview Park - 1	*Hartland - 5	Hudson First - 2
*Indian Hills - 1	*Kings Creek - 6	*Lakeview - 2
Livingston Mem. - 3	*Lenoir First - 3	Lower Creek - 4
*Meadowbrook - 1	Miller Hill - 4	Mount Carmel - 2
*Mount Zion - 10	Mountain Grove - 4	*Mountain View - 2
Mulberry - 3	*Mulvale - 2	*New Life - 2
*North Catawba - 12	*Piney Grove - 3	*Poovey's Chapel - 4
*Poovey's Grove - 6	*Providence - 8	Rhodhiss First - 1
*Setzer Creek - 7	*Sunrise - 2	Union - 4
Union Grove - 5	Whitnel First - 10	*Yadkin - 9
Visitors - 6	*Pastor present	

COMMUNICATIONS COMMITTEE REPORT**Rev. Bob Lowman, Chairman****Kings Creek Baptist Church**

A joint meeting of the Communications, Finance and Personnel Committees was held on August 29, 1994. The purpose of the meeting was to brainstorm ideas on how to better communicate the work of the association to member churches and to the community. Several helpful ideas were discussed. The Communications Committee was asked to follow through with the ideas.

On September 20, 1994 the committee met to discuss one new idea, a bulletin insert. The insert would be distributed on a quarterly basis to the churches. Plans are to begin this service to the churches beginning in 1994-95.

DIRECTOR OF MISSIONS REPORT**Rev. R. Dale Fisher****Mount Zion Baptist Church**

Questions about identity, purpose, performance, and destiny often are asked about individuals and organizations. These are important questions and need to be answered, even in regards to our own Caldwell Baptist Association. Let me see if I can answer some important questions about us. That's right! Questions about you and me! First of all...

Who are we?

Caldwell Baptists, of course! Our birth was on October 22, 1885 in the Rocky Springs Baptist Church. We're getting rather old! We just celebrated our 109th birthday. Do you feel your age? Sometimes I feel more than my forty-two years. I think Baptist work has a way of aging a person rather quickly. It may even contribute to the loss of hair. I had a lot more eight and a half years ago when I became your director of missions.

After 109 years of existence, all seventy-four of our churches are located in or adjacent to Caldwell County, North Carolina. We've grown a lot from the original

sixteen churches. Back then, the association had around 1,000 members; but today, we have more than 27,000 members. Now you understand that we don't know the whereabouts of all those Baptists, but the number looks good. One thing is for sure, if they all show up on any Sunday in the churches, it will be standing room only.

We are an association of churches that identifies with the faith and practice of Southern Baptists. Missions and evangelism are words that set our souls afire. We spend a lot of time and money on mission trips and on such efforts as "Here's Hope. Jesus Cares for You". But, I wonder... do we talk more than we do, when it comes to missions and evangelism? People are crying and dying in the shadow of our church steeples so the lyrics of a modern song tell us. Do we really care? I fear that most of us are so busy "doing things" that sometimes we fail to do what is best.

A speaker said, many years ago in a conference I was attending in Dallas, Texas, that "each person has enough time to do each year what God intends for that person to do." Could it be that we are busy doing a lot of things God does not intend for us to do?

Who are we? A people who believe in missions and evangelism. We are also a people of the word, God's Word. The living word abides within us and we proclaim the written word each week in our churches. But do we live the word? If we are a people of the Bible, should we not practice it?

Why are we here?

I'm here because God called me to be your director of missions. He used a search committee to accomplish His purpose back in 1986. But why are we here as an association of churches?

Our twenty word purpose statement says that "we associate ourselves to assist member churches in fulfilling the Great Commission of Christ through fellowship, education and mission involvement." I like that. It sounds good! Its clear and to the point as to why we exist.

Jesus left His church with work to be done. The association is not a church in itself but a group of churches that have voluntarily decided to work together. Our purpose is to help each other in getting the work done that the Son of God told us to do. The work is so great that we need each other in fulfilling it. A church cannot be an island to itself. It needs to relate to other churches in fellowship, discussion and mission involvement. Isn't that what it means to be an association and to work together.

Why are we here? To know Him and to make Him known to others. This involves worship, education, fellowship, evangelism and mission involvement. As an association, we help each other to fulfill the Great Commission of Christ.

How am I doing? I've tried to answer two questions. Let me try to answer two more.

What are we doing?

Let me be the first to tell you that we are doing a lot! Have you read all these reports, yet? Take time to do so. Caldwell Baptists are on the move. Well, at least some of us are!

This past year, Caldwell Baptists have been seen in Brazil, the Ukraine, Romania, Germany, the Outer Banks, Florida, South Carolina, New York, Canada, and a host

of other places. Resort ministry, Backyard Bible Clubs, hospital ministry, helping to meet the needs of homeless men, disaster relief, helping to meet needs of state fair workers, survey work, door to door evangelistic visitation, training conferences, fellowship activities and the list goes on. The list is exhausting! God is using Caldwell Baptists to share His love and concern with a world that needs Him more than any other person or thing.

We are involved in doing the Great Commission! Let us pray for a keen sensitivity to the leading of the Holy Spirit, so that we may be found doing exactly what He wants us to do.

What is our future?

That's an interesting question. What is our future? The good news is that our future is in heaven. Jesus has gone to prepare an eternal home for us. I believe our home going is not far away.

But what is our future as an association until His second coming? It had better be missions and evangelism. Lost people far out number saved people, which means that we have an enormous amount of work to do.

It is time for this director of missions, for pastors, for staff ministers and for every other church member to have broken, compassionate hearts for the unsaved and unchurched. I believe that if we born-again believers in Jesus Christ will truly allow Him to be the Lord of our lives, filled with His presence and power, actively involved in doing His will, that we can be used to touch lives for His glory and His honor.

To have a future in which more people are reached for Christ, we must be willing to let go of some excess baggage in our lives. Baggage tagged as selfishness, covetousness and worldliness must be left behind. In place of that baggage, we need "love, joy, peace, long-suffering, gentleness, goodness, faith, meekness and temperance".

Conclusion

We are Caldwell Baptists! Our mission field is Caldwell County and far beyond. Let us join our hearts and hands together, walking into the future boldly as the children of God.

DISCIPLESHIP TRAINING COUNCIL REPORT

**Dr. Robert Weathers, Director
Dudley Shoals Baptist Church**

My report for the 1993-94 Discipleship Training Council will by necessity be somewhat limited because I was not the council director for that church year. Still I am pleased to report that the year evidenced active participation by the churches in the associational program events.

First, "M" Night, held at First Baptist Church of Hudson on November 22, 1993 was well attended with 237 in attendance. Dr. Tom Jenkins, director of the Missions Division for the Baptist State Convention of N. C., was the key speaker. After the worship service and the age-group conference were concluded, everyone returned to the sanctuary for the banner presentation. Banners went to: Poovey's Grove with the largest percentage attendance with 50 or less enrolled, Clark's Chapel with the largest percentage attendance with 51-150 enrolled and Hartland with the largest percentage attendance with 151 or more enrolled. Mount Zion Baptist Church earned the most Church Study Course awards for this past year.

Bible Drills continue to enhance and inspire growth in our children and youth. Six churches with 14 children participated this year. Three youth from three churches participated in the Youth Bible Drills and Speakers' Tournament. A total of eight different churches were represented with 17 children and youth.

The concluding event for the year was the Pastor/Discipleship Training Director workshop which was held at the Mount Zion Baptist Church on June 27. Fifteen attended this valuable training event led by Mabel Couch, a Church Growth Multiplier with the Baptist State Convention.

I am excited about the foundation laid by the council for our 1994-95 year. We look forward to great things ahead as we pursue our desire to build strong disciples for Christ.

EVANGELISM PROGRAM COUNCIL REPORT

Rev. Steve Parker, Director
Hartland Baptist Church

Our Evangelism council has been busy in planning, promoting and participating in the following events as we get ready for the Here's Hope Simultaneous Harvest Revivals scheduled for 1995.

January 24, 1994	Personal Soul Winning Workshop, Harris Chapel
March 29, 1994	Here's Hope Rally, Concord
May 19, 1994	Here's Hope Training for Steering Comm., Dudley Shoals
July 25, 1994	Interfaith Witness Conference, Union Grove
September 17, 1994	Soul Winning Workshop, North Catawba

There are three remaining events scheduled to promote the "Here's Hope" emphasis and they are:

October 4, 1994	Here's Hope Training for Steering Committees, College Ave.
November 5, 1994	Soul Winning Workshop, Lower Creek
February 16, 1995	Here's Hope Rally, FBC Whitnel

Our prayer is for our Lord to use these events to prepare us to win the lost for His glory.

EXTERNAL RELATIONS COMMITTEE REPORT

Helen Poole, Chairman
North Catawba Baptist Church

The External Relations Committee is responsible for establishing and maintaining proper relationships with groups outside the association. Its duties are to serve through individual representatives as a channel of communication between the association and the various agencies, boards, foundations and other groups affiliated with the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina and the Southern Baptist Convention; and to communicate and work, as needed, with non-Baptist groups. It was not necessary for the committee to meet this year.

FAMILY MINISTRY COUNCIL REPORT

**Rev. Michael Isaacs, Director
First Baptist Church of Hudson**

The Family Ministry Council of the Caldwell Baptist Association has been hard at work serving Caldwell Baptists. The council consisted of the following: Mrs. Beth Isaacs, Preschool Ministry Director; Mrs. Barbara Fisher, Youth Ministry Director; Ms. Sherry Austin, Single Adult Ministry Director; Rev. Wayne Caviness, Median and Senior Adult Ministry Director; and Rev. Brooks Walker, Student Ministry Director.

Our first project was a Preschool and Parent Christmas Celebration on December 11, 1993 at the Friendship Baptist Church. Beth Isaacs did a wonderful job planning this event which allowed parents and preschoolers to spend quality time with each other during the Christmas season. Special thanks goes to Karen Hoyle who led this event. There were approximately 200 in attendance.

On February 19, 1994, our council sponsored the 10th annual Single Adult Conference at the First Baptist Church of Hudson from 3:30 p.m. until 8:30 p.m. Sherry Austin did another outstanding job on this event. A children's workshop was also led during this time by the youth of the First Baptist Church of Hudson.

The Youth Ministry Director, Mrs. Barbara Fisher, and the council were extremely busy this year in conducting two major events for the youth of Caldwell County. On January 15, 1994, we sponsored the "True Love Waits" Rally at College Avenue Baptist Church. Thomas Hinton, Youth Minister at the First Baptist Church of Lenoir, was the featured speaker for this event. Nearly 300 youth pledged to keep themselves sexually pure until marriage, by signing the following pledge:

TRUE LOVE WAITS

Believing that true love waits, I make a
commitment to God, myself, my family, those
I date, my future mate, and my future children
to be sexually pure until the day I enter a
covenant marriage relationship.

signed

Saturday, March 12, 1994 at Harris Chapel Baptist Church was the site of the Associational Youth Night. Over 125 youth from Caldwell Baptist Churches enjoyed a Christian concert by "Age of Faith".

Senior Adults enjoyed a time of food, fellowship and faith at Center Grove Baptist Church, on September 22, 1994. Hannah's Barbecue catered the meal and Maurice Cooper of the North Carolina Baptist State Convention spoke on issues of "Senior Adults as Ministers or Ministering Agents". Mrs. Jo Suttles led the music. Wayne Caviness did a fine job planning this day.

FELLOWSHIP COUNCIL REPORT

Rev. Dan Redding, Chairman
Center Grove Baptist Church

The Fellowship Council consists of the leaders of the eight associational fellowship groups. The council is responsible for discussing fellowship needs and coordinating fellowship activities.

To have fellowship among the churches is one of the main reasons that associations were started in mid-1600s by English Baptists. The need for fellowship among churches is still very great and is part of the purpose of the Caldwell Baptist Association.

FINANCE COMMITTEE REPORT

Alvin Daughtridge, Chairman
Kings Creek Baptist Church

The Finance Committee met three times during the 1993-94 Associational Year. The first meeting was on June 30, 1994, when the committee met to plan the 1994-95 Budget, which would become effective on October 1, 1994 and continue through September 30, 1995.

The budget planning process takes several months as the various committees, councils and fellowship groups make their plans for the upcoming year. Budget requests are based on planned activities. The Finance Committee carefully considers the financial status of the association, reviews each request, prepares the new budget and then presents it to the Messengers in July each year for their approval.

A joint meeting of the Communications, Finance and Personnel Committees was held on August 29, 1994. The purpose of the meeting was to brainstorm ideas on how to better communicate the work of the association to member churches and to the community. Several helpful ideas were discussed. The Communications Committee was asked to follow through with the ideas.

The final committee meeting was held on September 6, 1994 as a part of the Committee Training Workshop sponsored by the association's Administrative Services Council. This meeting involved new members who would take office on October 1, 1994. The committee's job description, along with other helpful items, were discussed.

1994-95 MINISTRY BUDGET
Caldwell Baptist Association, Inc.
October 1, 1994 — September 30, 1995

I. BUDGET RECEIPTS:

A. Undesignated Receipts	179,861.00
B. Designated Receipts	
1. Annual Minutes	1,600.00
2. Baptist State Conv.	3,000.00
3. Miscellaneous	<u>1,500.00</u>
Total Designated Receipts	<u>6,100.00</u>
Total Budget Receipts	<u>185,961.00</u>

II. BUDGETED MINISTRIES:

A. ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES

1. Annual Minutes	3,200.00	
2. Baptist Center Media Library		
(a) Equipment	100.00	
(b) Materials	950.00	
3. Committees		
(a) Communications	300.00	
(b) Miscellaneous	100.00	
(c) Properties		
(1) Baptist Center		
(a) Custodian	2,950.00	
(b) Maintenance/Bldg. Imp.	1,400.00	
(c) Office Equipment	2,500.00	
(d) Utilities & Insurance	10,000.00	
(2) Caldwell Cottage	1,200.00	
(3) Disaster Relief Unit	300.00	
(4) Van	6,000.00	
4. Contingency	250.00	
5. Office Expense	17,000.00	
6. Treasurer	<u>825.00</u>	
Total Administrative Services		47,075.00

B. COORDINATING

1. Administrative Services Council	100.00	
2. Associational Council	900.00	
3. Fellowship Council	<u>100.00</u>	
Total Coordinating		1,100.00

C. FELLOWSHIP GROUPS

1. Bivocational Ministers	100.00	
2. Church Secretaries	250.00	
3. Minister's Conference	600.00	
4. Min. & Wives Quarterly Felshp.	750.00	
5. Minister's Wives	150.00	
6. Music Leaders	100.00	
7. Retired Ministers	150.00	
8. Youth Leaders	<u>50.00</u>	
Total Fellowship Groups		2,150.00

D. GOVERNING (MESSENGERS)

1. Annual Meeting Meal	850.00	
2. Miscellaneous & Speakers	<u>1,400.00</u>	
Total Governing		2,250.00

E. CHURCH ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

1. Brotherhood Council	1,700.00	
2. Christian Life Council	2,000.00	
3. Discipleship Training Council	1,388.00	
4. Evangelism Council	3,500.00	
5. Family Ministry Council	2,100.00	
6. Media Library Council	350.00	
7. Missions Development Council	1,000.00	
8. Music Ministry Council	1,100.00	
9. Pastoral Ministry Council	1,200.00	

10. Prayer Council	800.00
11. Recreation Council	200.00
12. Seminary Extension Council	750.00
13. Stewardship Council	150.00
14. Sunday School Council	900.00
15. WMU Council	<u>2,875.00</u>
Total Church Assistance Programs	20,013.00

F. PERSONNEL

1. Salaries:

a. Director of Missions	26,899.00
b. Administrative Assistant	21,157.00
c. Financial Secretary	11,050.00

2. Benefits:

a. Housing & Utilities	
(1) Director of Missions	14,570.00
b. Insurance	
(1) Director of Missions	6,250.00
(2) Administrative Assistant	6,900.00
(3) Financial Secretary	1,200.00
c. Retirement	
(1) Director of Missions	6,220.00
(2) Administrative Assistant	3,174.00

3. Christmas Gifts:

a. Director of Missions	797.00
b. Administrative Assistant	407.00
c. Financial Secretary	213.00

4. Ministry Expense:

a. Automobile	
(1) Director of Missions	3,600.00
(2) Administrative Assistant	250.00
(3) Financial Secretary	250.00
b. Hospitality & Materials	
(1) Director of Missions	600.00
c. Meetings & Mission Trips	
(1) Director of Missions	2,200.00
(2) Administrative Assistant	250.00
(3) Financial Secretary	250.00

5. Taxes: FICA

a. Director of Missions	3,172.00
b. Administrative Assistant	1,619.00
c. Financial Secretary	<u>845.00</u>

Total Personnel 111,873.00

G. Special Missions

1. Minister's Support	1,500.00
Total Special Missions	<u>1,500.00</u>

TOTAL MINISTRY BUDGET \$185,961.00

FOREIGN MISSION BOARD REPORT

Mildred Roberts, Representative
First Baptist Church of Whitnel

God used Southern Baptists in foreign missions in 1993 as never before:

- ◆ 498 missionary appointments, bringing the total to 3,954
- ◆ more than 260,000 baptisms
- ◆ a 7.29 percent increase in churches
- ◆ continuing increase in the number of countries where missionaries work, up to 176, with missionaries living in 127
- ◆ miraculous advancement particularly among World A people groups
- ◆ a new president with strong missionary experience

Your Bridge to the World

In the past six years, overseas churches grew from 17,769 to 35,188. Last year the number grew by 2,391, a 7.29 percent increase. For the third straight year, baptisms set a record, ending the year with 262,758. Church membership grew from 3.45 million to 3.74 million.

Prayer Request:

Thirty of the 73 most urgent missionary job requests are for World A.

Your Bridge to the Americas

1,258 missionaries; 36 countries; 8,732 churches; 92,388 baptisms last year

Prayer Request:

Spiritual renewal for missionaries and nationals; partnerships between various countries and Southern Baptists at home — Wyoming and Paraguay, Tennessee and Chile, Virginia with Costa Rica and Mexico City, Mississippi and Honduras; and preparation for the Pan American Games and the Baptist World Alliance meeting in 1995.

Your Bridge to Europe, the Middle East and North Africa

527 missionaries; 38 countries; 8,373 churches; 32,117 baptisms last year

Prayer Requests:

That Southern Baptists will be open to serving in the Middle East. Pray also for the hospital ministry in Yemen.

Your Bridge to Africa

1,001 missionaries; 37 countries; 11,941 churches; 95,150 baptisms last year

Prayer Requests:

More missionary personnel are critically needed in west African countries. Some have received no new personnel in two or three years in spite of tremendous response, particularly among Muslim peoples. New personnel are following God's leadership to other parts of Africa; in their case, the prayer concern is for funds to support their ministries.

Your Bridge to Asia

842 missionaries; 19 countries; 6,011 churches; 42,357 baptisms last year

Prayer Requests:

For Hong Kong and the urgency of starting new churches before 1997 when Hong Kong will be returned to China; for Macao's churches as they prepare to live, work and witness under a communist system in 1999; for visas for personnel assigned to church planting and theological education as well as medical work in Indonesia.

Your Bridge through the Home Office

In 1993, 10,265 volunteers went overseas and 498 mission workers were approved. That total includes 223 career missionaries and missionary associates and 275 two-year personnel, including International Service Corps people. That represents a 22 percent increase over 1992 and exceeds the 1985 record of 429. Thousands more are working the appointment process.

Prayer as missions strategy:

More than 900 churches have prayer partnerships with unreached people groups, prayer is the only strategy until God opens up other possibilities. Hundreds of other churches call the prayer line monthly to hear reports of the latest urgent prayer needs and to hear how their praying is making a difference. The foreign missions prayer hotline is 1-800-395-PRAY.

GENERAL BOARD OF THE BAPTIST STATE CONVENTION OF NORTH CAROLINA REPORT

Joann Propst, Representative
First Baptist Church of Rhodhiss
and

Dr. David Smith, Representative
First Baptist Church of Lenoir

The General Board is responsible for the ongoing work of the Baptist State Convention between the annual sessions. The Board meets three times a year and is composed of one member from each of the 79 associations, with an additional member for each association with more than 20,000 members, plus a third member for associations with more than 40,000 members. The Caldwell Association has two Board members since we have more than 27,000 members.

Members are elected in annual session of the Convention from a slate of names presented by the Convention's Nominating Committee. Board members serve four years with approximately one-fourth rotating on and off each year.

The Board supervises the work of the agencies and institutions of the Convention. However, it does not have the power to contravene any action of the Convention nor to launch a new institution.

The two representatives for the Caldwell Association serve as ex-officio members of the association's External Relations Committee, in order to keep the committee informed about external matters that would relate to the association. The two representatives are neither selected nor elected by the association to serve as General Board members.

HISTORICAL EVENTS 1994-95

- **Clark's Chapel** — Altar Set dedicated as a memorial for Mr. L. Parks Underdown
- **Clover** — Challenge to Build Banquet held on November 14, 1993. Canvassing (Commitment) Week on November 15, 1993. Victory Sunday on November 21, 1993 (total commitments over \$165,000.00). Estimated completion of new educational building, Mid-November, 1994.
- **College Avenue** — Missions supported: Yokefellow, Hudson Prison Ministry, Radio Ministry, Bethel Colony, Rex House Habitat for Humanity and Soup Kitchen. Dr. Curtis Tutterrow resigned as pastor effective October 10, 1993. Church is now involved in the Intentional Interim Process with Dr. Bill Almond, Jr. serving as interim pastor. David Whipple, Jr. resigned as Minister of Music effective June 25, 1994.
- **Dudley Shoals** — First Citizens Bank donated furniture to the church. Held training sessions at Faith Baptist Chapel in Waverly, New York for Sunday School workers. Church completed three years of Challenge to Build in April, 1994.

Church voted to extend Challenge to Build an additional three years. Our Director of Ministries, Rev. Robert Weathers, received his doctorate from Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary. Put up new church signage.

● **Flemings Chapel** — Celebrated their 125th Anniversary.

● **Hudson First** — Through an anonymous gift the church was able to purchase new choir robes and the new Baptist Hymnal. In August of this year a Zimmer Pipe Organ was dedicated. This was a gift in memory of Mr. J. Wade Kincaid.

● **Indian Hills** — Constructed a handicap ramp with porch. Purchased and installed portable walls for Sunday School rooms.

● **Kings Creek** — Stella Austin Ministry Scholarship Fund established. Began Children's worship time. Renovations in Educational Building included Nursery, drop ceilings, new closets and painting. Employed a summer youth worker. Pastor and Family Appreciation Day observed. It was their fifth anniversary at Kings Creek Baptist Church.

● **Miller Hill** — Bought additional property for the church.

● **Mount Zion** — Note Burning Ceremony for retirement of debt on Educational/Administrative facility.

● **New Life** — Together-We-Build Banquet held on December 12, 1993. Pledges totaled \$262,569.00. LEO Ministries began on April 14, 1994. This is a Children's Street Ministry which is taken to five different areas in Caldwell County. Over 300 professions of faith have been made and 15 children have been baptized. LEO is funded by donations from various people in the community and the New Life Baptist Church. Ground breaking held on August 21, 1994. The building will consist of an enlargement of the sanctuary and many additional Sunday School classrooms.

IIISTORICAL TABLE — ANNUAL MEETINGS Caldwell Baptist Association 1885-1988

YEAR & PLACE	MODERATOR	CLERK	PREACHER
1885 - Rocky Springs	Isaac Oxford	W.A. Pool	Isaac Oxford
1886 - Union	Isaac Oxford	W.A. Pool	John Crisp
1887 - Piney Grove	Isaac Oxford	W.F. Marshall	W.A. Pool
1888 - Sardis	H.D. Lequex	W.F. Marshall	H.D. Lequex
1889 - Globe	Isaac Oxford	W.F. Marshall	W.A. Pool
1890 - Lenoir First	Isaac Oxford	A.E. Nelson	Isaac Oxford
1891 - Dudley Shoals	Isaac Oxford	J.V. McCall	J.W. Gwaitney
1892 - Yadkin	I.W. Thomas	J.V. McCall	H.M. Croom
1893 - Granite Falls	I.W. Thomas	A.E. Nelson	J.W. Gwaitney
1894 - Kings Creek	J.V. McCall	A.E. Nelson	J.M. Shaver
1895 - Lower Creek	J.V. McCall	A.E. Nelson	H.M. Croom
1896 - Conways Chapel	I.W. Thomas	J.V. McCall	I.W. Thomas
1897 - Piney Grove	E.D. Crisp	J.V. McCall	Isaac Oxford
1898 - Rocky Springs	I.W. Thomas	J.V. McCall	G.D. Hefner
1899 - Blairs Fork	I.W. Thomas	J.V. McCall	E.D. Crisp
1900 - Union	I.W. Thomas	J.V. McCall	I.W. Thomas
1901 - Sardis	I.W. Thomas	J.V. McCall	W.R. Beach
1902 - Bethany	J.V. McCall	I.W. Thomas	E.D. Crisp
1903 - Lenoir First	J.V. McCall	I.W. Thomas	J.A. White
1904 - Dudley Shoals	J.V. McCall	I.W. Thomas	J.L. Sherwood
1905 - Mountain Grove	J.V. McCall	I.W. Thomas	---
1906 - Flemings Chapel	J.V. McCall	I.W. Thomas	---
1907 - Mulbery	J.V. McCall	I.W. Thomas	J.L. Sherwood
1908 - Lower Creek	J.V. McCall	I.W. Thomas	J.C. Miller
1909 - Green Valley	J.V. McCall	I.W. Thomas	I.W. Thomas
1910 - Granite Falls	J.V. McCall	J.R. Swanson	J.G. Benfield
1911 - Kings Creek	J.V. McCall	J.R. Swanson	---

1912 - Rocky Springs	I.W. Thomas	J.R. Swanson	W.N. Cook
1913 - Lenoir First	I.W. Thomas	J.R. Swanson	J.D. Moore
1914 - Union	I.W. Thomas	J.R. Swanson	G.C. Ivey
1915 - Sardis	I.W. Thomas	J.R. Swanson	G.W. Rollins
1916 - Blairs Fork	I.W. Thomas	J.R. Swanson	J.G. Benfield
1917 - Bethel	I.W. Thomas	J.R. Swanson	G.A. Rhyne
1918 - Dudley Shoals	I.W. Thomas	J.R. Swanson	J.E. Hoyle
1919 - Rhodhiss First	I.W. Thomas	J.R. Swanson	J.M. Shaver
1920 - Piney Grove	I.W. Thomas	J.R. Swanson	I.W. Thomas
1921 - Center Grove	I.W. Thomas	J.R. Swanson	J.E. Hoyle
1922 - Kings Creek	J.G. Benfield	J.R. Swanson	W.C. Tyree
1923 - Rocky Springs	J.G. Benfield	J.R. Swanson	J.L. Teague
1924 - Concord	J.G. Benfield	J.R. Swanson	W.C. Tyree
1925 - Yadkin	W.C. Tyree	H.S. Benfield	J.W. Watts
1926 - Lower Creek	W.C. Tyree	H.S. Benfield	J.L. Teague
1927 - Harris Chapel	W.C. Tyree	H.S. Benfield	S.A. Stroup
1928 - South Lenoir	W.C. Tyree	H.S. Benfield	G.W. Bennett
1929 - Mount Zion	J.W. Watts	H.S. Benfield	W.R. Bradshaw
1930 - Kings Creek	J.W. Watts	H.S. Benfield	R.D. Carroll
1931 - Sardis	J.W. Watts	H.S. Benfield	R.E. Hardaway
1932 - Granite Falls	J.W. Watts	H.S. Benfield	W.R. Barnes
1933 - Grandview Park	R.D. Carroll	H.S. Benfield	J.H. Shaver
1934 - Lenoir First	R.D. Carroll	H.S. Benfield	T.E. Payne
1935 - Whitnel First	R.D. Carroll	H.S. Benfield	H.S. Benfield
1936 - Grandin	R.D. Carroll	H.S. Benfield	G.C. Teague
1937 - Rhodhiss First	R.D. Carroll	H.S. Benfield	Waldo E. Early
1938 - Rocky Springs	R.D. Carroll	H.S. Benfield	Leroy Thomas
1939 - Lower Creek	R.D. Carroll	H.S. Benfield	Boyd Cannon
1940 - Granite Falls	G.C. Teague	H.S. Benfield	Zeb Caudle
1941 - Yadkin	Zeb Caudle	H.S. Benfield	O.R. Mangum
1942 - Blairs Fork	Zeb Caudle	H.S. Benfield	R.F. Mayberry
1943 - Mount Zion	Zeb Caudle	H.S. Benfield	S.M. Stroupe
1944 - Kings Creek	Zeb Caudle	R.C. Powell	Philip D. Fletcher
1945 - Piney Grove	Zeb Caudle	R.C. Powell	J.H. Crisp
1946 - Dudley Shoals	Zeb Caudle	G. Boutwell	---
1947 - Lenoir First	C.M. Abernethy	G. Boutwell	M.W. Stallings
1947 - Center Grove	C.M. Abernethy	G. Boutwell	---
1948 - Central	J.F. Reece	E.W. Smith	W.W. Jones
1948 - Hartland	J.F. Reece	E.W. Smith	---
1949 - Harris Chapel	J.F. Reece	E.W. Smith	Fred C. Roberts
1949 - Lower Creek	J.F. Reece	E.W. Smith	---
1950 - Concord	J.F. Reece	E.W. Smith	Will Bolick
1950 - Longford	J.F. Reece	E.W. Smith	---
1951 - Calvary	W.W. Jones	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	Paul Hester
1951 - Winklers Grove	W.W. Jones	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	---
1952 - Union	W.W. Jones	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	M.O. Owens, Jr.
1952 - Union Grove	W.W. Jones	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	Knolan Benfield
1953 - Sardis	W.W. Jones	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	D.R. Hinton
1953 - Mountain Grove	W.W. Jones	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	---
1954 - College Avenue	J.M. Laxton	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	K.E. Sseepe
1954 - Granite Falls	J.M. Laxton	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	---
1955 - Lenoir First	J.M. Laxton	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	T.L. Cashwell
1955 - Mount Zion	J.M. Laxton	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	---
1956 - Lower Creek	J.M. Laxton	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	Paul Hopkins
1956 - Central	J.M. Laxton	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	---
1957 - Yadkin	V.S. Sparrow	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	Paul Bruce
1957 - Harris Chapel	V.S. Sparrow	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	---
1958 - Hudson First	V.S. Sparrow	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	George Westmoreland
1958 - Crestview	V.S. Sparrow	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	---
1959 - Rhodhiss First	M.O. Owens, Jr.	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	Hal R. Hovis
1959 - Kings Creek	M.O. Owens, Jr.	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	---

1960 - College Avenue	Paul J. Hopkins	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	Murray F. Jackson
1960 - Flemings Chapel	Paul J. Hopkins	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	---
1961 - Concord	Paul J. Hopkins	J.G. Hagaman	Paul Lovingood
1961 - Poovey's Grove	Paul J. Hopkins	J.G. Hagaman	---
1962 - Winkler's Grove	Paul J. Hopkins	J.G. Hagaman	Billy Rivers
1962 - Grandview Park	Paul J. Hopkins	J.G. Hagaman	---
1963 - Lenoir First	George Williamson	J.G. Hagaman	James Pharr
1963 - Mount Zion	George Williamson	J.G. Hagaman	---
1964 - Hudson First	Dwight Watts	J.G. Hagaman	Jyles Hall
1964 - North Catawba	Dwight Watts	J.G. Hagaman	Mrs. George Cowsert
1965 - Whitnel First	Dwight Watts	J.G. Hagaman	Mark Owens
1965 - Union Grove	Dwight Watts	J.G. Hagaman	F. Turnmire/S. Austin
1966 - Lower Creek	Dwight Watts	J.G. Hagaman	B.C. Tschudy
1966 - Yadkin	Dwight Watts	J.G. Hagaman	Wayne Pennell
1967 - Calvary	Billy Rivers	Faye C. Teague	Millared Crumpler
1967 - Dudley Shoals	Billy Rivers	Faye C. Teague	---
1968 - College Avenue	L. Deck Taylor	Faye C. Teague	Rev. C.H. Kincaid
1968 - Mountain Grove	L. Deck Taylor	Faye C. Teague	Rev. Lanny Elmore
1969 - Mount Zion	L. Deck Taylor	Faye C. Teague	Rev. Fred Barnes
1969 - Lenoir First	L. Deck Taylor	Faye C. Teague	---
1969 - Union	L. Deck Taylor	Faye C. Teague	Faye Turnmire
1970 - Granite Falls	L. Deck Taylor	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Rev. Clifton Tuttle
1970 - Hudson First	L. Deck Taylor	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Dr. Carl Bates
1970 - Kings Creek	L. Deck Taylor	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Hilda Cowsert
1971 - Central	George Williamson	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Frank Colburn
1971 - Lower Creek	George Williamson	Elizabeth J. Campbell	R. Knolan Benfield
1971 - Whitnel First	George Williamson	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Wayne Pennell
1972 - Hudson First	George Williamson	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Edgar Cole
1972 - Mountain Grove	George Williamson	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Dr. Jack Stanton
1972 - Clover	George Williamson	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Lanny Elmore
1973 - Dudley Shoals	Haven C. Lowe	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Luther Hawkins
1973 - Harris Chapel	Haven C. Lowe	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Dr. Eugene Poston
1973 - Oak Grove	Haven C. Lowe	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Rev. Tom Small
			Rev. Coy C. Privette
			Rev. James Lambert
1974 - North Catawba	Haven C. Lowe	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Edwin D. Price
			Rev. John O. Adams
1974 - Mount Zion	Haven C. Lowe	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Dr. Budd Smith
			Rev. Guy Longshore
1974 - Hartland	Haven C. Lowe	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Rev. Burt Potter
			Rev. Jerry Potter
1975 - Yadkin	J.M. Laxton	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Rev. Howard Barnes
			Rev. Charles Lethcoe
1975 - Hudson First	J.M. Laxton	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Dr. Eugene Poston
			Rev. Ian Walker
1975 - Concord	J.M. Laxton	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Dr. Roy Carroll
			Rev. George Cowsert
1976 - Lenoir First	J.M. Laxton	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Rev. Ned Webb
			Rev. Don Ingle
1976 - Poovey's Chapel	J.M. Laxton	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Dr. Thomas Cortis
			Dr. Richard Henderson
1976 - Central	J.M. Laxton	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Rev. Ernest Hollaway
			Rev. Wayne Pennell
1977 - Rhodhiss First	H.H. McManus	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Rev. Don Ingle
			Rev. B.R. Whisnant
1977 - Baton	H.H. McManus	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Dr. Craven Williams
			Dr. Carl E. Bates
1977 - Harris Chapel	H.H. McManus	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Rick Taylor
			Rev. John McGee
1978 - College Avenue	H.H. McManus	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Rev. James Locke
			Rev. Knolan Benfield

1978 - Union Grove	H.H. McManus	Elizabeth J.Campbell	Dr. Norman Wiggins Dr. Forrest Feezor
1978 - Mount Zion	H.H. McManus	Elizabeth J.Campbell	Dr. Mark Corts Rev. Max Furr
1979 - Lower Creek	H.H. McManus	Elizabeth J.Campbell	Dr. Thad Dowdle Rev. Walter Ponder
1979 - Temple Hill	H.H. McManus	Elizabeth J.Campbell	Dr. Robert Mullinax Dr. Jonn Tresch
1979 - Miller Hill	H.H. McManus	Elizabeth J.Campbell	Dr. Dwane Campbell Dr/Mrs Lin Fincannon
1980 - Mountain Grove	Donald W. Ingle	Elizabeth J.Campbell	Rev. H.H. McManus Dr. Robert Evans
1980 - Center Grove	Donald W. Ingle	Elizabeth J.Campbell	Dr. Dwane Campbell Dr. A.C. Miller
1980 - Crest View	Donald W. Ingle	Elizabeth J.Campbell	Rev. Cecil Seagel Mrs. Craig Steele
1981 - Granite Falls	Donald W. Ingle	Sue Smith	Rev. Roy Collins, Jr. Rev. Donald Ingle
1981 - West Lenoir	Donald W. Ingle	Sue Smith	Dr. Delos Miles Rev. Fenton Moorhead
1981 - Poovey's Grove	Donald W. Ingle	Sue Smith	Dr. Thad Dowdle Mrs. Jean Poe
1982 - Kings Creek	Wayne Riddle	Sue Smith	Tommy Stevens Roger Nix
1982 - Lovelady	Wayne Riddle	Sue Smith	J.W. Hutchens Stuart White
1982 - Flemings Chapel	Wayne Riddle	Sue Smith	Thomas Courts Rev. Donnie Solesbee
1983 - College Avenue	Wayne Riddle	Sue Smith	Rev. Dennis Herman Dr. Mark Corts
1983 - Clark's Chapel	Wayne Riddle	Sue Smith	Dr. Robert Evans, Jr. History of Cald Couty
1983 - Whitnel First	Wayne Riddle	Sue Smith	Dr. Roy Smith Rev. Dean Harrold
1984 - Concord	Walter Ponder	Sue Smith	Rev. Ken Carter Rev. Marion Powell
1984 - Calvary	Walter Ponder	Sue Smith	Rev. C.H. Kincaid Rev. Ellis Fulbright
1984 - Mount Zion	Walter Ponder	Sue Smith	Dr. Ray Roberts Rev. Stuart White
1985 - Lenoir First	Walter Ponder	Sue Smith	Togo Volunteers Rev. Richard Everett
1985 - Baton	Walter Ponder	Sue Smith	Rev. David Philbeck Dr. Michael Blackwell
1985 - Rhodhiss First	Walter Ponder	Sue Smith	W.M.U. Cent. Report Brazil Mission Report
1986 - Concord	Donald W. Ingle	Margaret Benfield	Dr. Thad Dowdle
1986 - Piney Grove	Donald W. Ingle	Margaret Benfield	
1986 - Dudley Shoals	Donald W. Ingle	Margaret Benfield	
1987 - Meadowbrook	Donald W. Ingle	Margaret Benfield	
1987 - Poovey's Chapel	Donald W. Ingle	Margaret Benfield	
1987 - Friendship	Donald W. Ingle	Margaret Benfield	
1988 - Central	Billy G. Rivers	Margaret Benfield	
1988 - Fellowship	Billy G. Rivers	Margaret Benfield	
1988 - Temple Hill	Billy G. Rivers	Margaret Benfield	

HISTORICAL TABLE — QUARTERLY MEETINGS Caldwell Baptist Association, Inc. 1989-1994

YEAR & PLACE	MODERATOR	CLERK	PREACHER
1989 - Hudson First	Billy G. Rivers	Ann Hatton	Bill Cox
Mount Zion	Billy G. Rivers	Ann Hatton	Don Foster
Dudley Shoals	Glenn Walker	Ann Hatton	George Shore
Harrisburg	Glenn Walker	Ann Hatton	Craige Steele
Oak Grove	Glenn Walker	Ann Hatton	James Hamby
1990 - Miller Hill	Glenn Walker	Ann Hatton	Buddy Freeman
Granite Falls	Glenn Walker	Ann Hatton	Mack Roberts

	Yadkin	Glenn Walker	Ann Hatton	Ed & Marji Elzey
	Clover	Glenn Walker	Ann Hatton	Dennis Blackmon
	Lower Creek	Glenn Walker	Ann Hatton	David Smith
1991 -	Concord	Stuart White	Ann Hatton	Roy Smith
	Setzer Creek	Glenn Walker	Sue Smith	Terrell L. Moore
	Union Grove	Glenn Walker	Ann Hatton	Tom Small
	Kings Creek	Joel Sellers	Ann Hatton	Frank Denning
	Flemings Chapel	Joel Sellers	Ann Hatton	Dale Fisher
1992 -	Harris Chapel	Joel Sellers	Ann Hatton	Caldwell Laypersons
	North Catawba	Joel Sellers	Ann Hatton	Caldwell Baptist Pastors
	Hartland	Joel Sellers	Ann Hatton	Windy Rich
	Calvary	Joel Sellers	Ann Hatton	Joann Propst
	Dry Ponds	Joel Sellers	Ann Hatton	Dale Fisher
1993 -	Clark's Chapel	Joel Sellers	Ann Hatton	Hilda Cowsert
	Baton	Joel Sellers	Darlene Townsend	Dale Fisher
	New Life	Joel Sellers	Ann Hatton	J.W. Hutchens
	Whitnel First	Robert Livingston	Ann Hatton	Joann Propst
	Center Grove	Robert Livingston	Ann Hatton	Dale Fisher
1994 -	Mountain Grove	Robert Livingston	Ann Hatton	William Stillerman
	Piney Grove	Robert Livingston	Ann Hatton	Debbie Connell
	Lower Creek	Robert Livingston	Ann Hatton	Children's Musical
	Dudley Shoals	Robert Livingston	Ann Hatton	Roy Cooper
	Central	Robert Livingston	Ann Hatton	Dale Fisher

HISTORY COMMITTEE REPORT

Rev. Ken Mashburn, Chairman
Setzer Creek Baptist Church

On Tuesday, October 17, 1993, the Caldwell Baptist Association held it's Annual Committees Training Workshop at Mount Zion Baptist Church. The purpose of this meeting was to train people who would be serving on associational committees. Job descriptions were discussed. The History Committee was represented at this meeting.

The History Committee met for its first meeting of the 1993-94 Associational year on November 29, 1993. Those in attendance were: Rev. Dale Fisher, Joann Jarvis, Libby Killian, Laverl Hayes and Rev. Ken Mashburn. This meeting was held at the Caldwell Baptist Center. We made a list of churches that had not yet sent in church histories, and made assignments for committee members to contact these churches. We discussed sending these churches a letter, requesting that they send in to the associational office a history from their church. A meeting in March was discussed.

The History Committee held its next meeting on Sunday, May 15, 1994, at the Baptist Center. We met at 4:00 p.m., with Libby Killian, Lavrel Hayes, Joann Jarvis and Rev. Ken Mashburn in attendance. The purpose of this meeting was to discuss the progress of gathering church histories. We had a great meeting with almost everyone reporting great success. Joann Jarvis was given six churches to contact. She had all six histories at this meeting. Libby Killian was successful in four out of six; Lavrel Hayes was also successful in four out of six, with one more promising a history by May 30, 1994. Two of the six that Ken Mashburn contacted sent in histories. This left twenty churches who had not as yet turned in a history. At this meeting we discussed having another meeting in August. Two of those present would rotate off our committee in September, so we wanted to try and finish our work by then. We divided the remaining churches among those present. We each had five churches to contact. We discussed sending out a letter to the twenty

churches who had not as yet sent in church histories. We also discussed sending out some suggestions as to what might be included in a church history. We discussed having a historical profile of one of our churches either in the newsletter, or at one of our meetings. A letter was sent to these twenty churches, with these suggestions as part of that letter. A letter was also sent to all our committee members with the assignments that we made at the meeting on May 15.

The History Committee next met on August 11, 1994, at the Baptist Center. Those in attendance were: Lavrel Hayes, Joann Jarvis and Ken Mashburn. We discussed the progress being made on gathering church histories. We divided the remaining churches, and discussed a letter of appreciation to all the churches that had helped us in this project. In this letter of appreciation, we talked about encouraging the remaining churches to send in a history by the end of September. The reason for the time limit was because two of our committee would rotate off in September and we wanted to finish our work by then. A letter was sent to the twelve churches who had not yet sent in church histories and a word of appreciation to all our churches would appear in the September-October issue of the Caldwell Baptist Caller. The next meeting was set for September 29, 1994 at the Baptist Center.

On September 6, 1994, at College Avenue Church, the Caldwell Baptist Association held its annual Committee Training Workshop. The History Committee was represented at this meeting.

The purpose of the History Committee is to gather, preserve and interpret historical records of the association's life and work. One of our duties is to encourage churches to gather and preserve their historical records and to write, communicate and interpret their history. The job of the gathering of church histories had been a priority for the present History Committee.

Dudley Shoals Baptist Church

Rev. Don Ingle, Pastor

The Dudley Shoals Baptist Church was organized in 1861 by eleven people who came together from three other churches - Union, Concord, and Liberty Grove. Elder Robert L. Steele was called as the first pastor and it was decided that public worship would be held on the second Saturday and Sunday of each month.

The first building, a one room log cabin fourteen feet by sixteen feet, was located near the present Dudley Shoals School. The first record of property being purchased was in 1867 when two acres were purchased for the price of one dollar. A frame building was built on this property and used until around 1901 when it was sold for sixty-five dollars to the County School Board.

In 1901 another frame building, most of the materials and labor being donated by the people, was erected. Sunday School rooms were added in the early 1930's. The building was completely destroyed by fire in 1948, but immediately the congregation began laying plans for a new building. One year later the congregation began worshipping in the present building. Seeing the need for additional room the Sunday School rooms were built in 1959 along with remodeling the sanctuary.

The parsonage was built in 1952 on land donated by the late Mr. and Mrs. R.E. Sear, Sr. The Rev. Louis Price was the first to occupy the parsonage and he was also the first full time pastor.

Several additions and improvements have been made to the church facility since 1959. These have included the paving of the parking lot, installation of air conditioning throughout the church, addition of nursery space, and the installation of chimes. In 1983, the congregation entered into the Challenge to Build program, with funds going to the expansion of the sanctuary and the addition of Sunday School classrooms. The total cost of expansion was \$230,000. Through much prayer and total church commitment, the entire amount was received within three years. This expansion was dedicated in November, 1984.

On December 9, 1990, the congregation again determined a need for additional educational space, and once again entered into the Challenge to Build program. The cost of the addition is to be \$500,000. Once again the congregation is depending on the prayers and commitment of its members to financially meet this challenge.

Dudley Shoals continues to reach people for Christ. The church membership has grown to 730 with a Sunday School enrollment of 610 and a Discipleship Training enrollment of 229. An increase in attendance in all areas of church life, including mission organizations and worship services has also led to a growth in stewardship. The yearly church budget now exceeds \$326,000 and of this, 25% goes to the Cooperative Program and 5.25% goes to Caldwell Baptist Association. Missions is a great love of the people of Dudley Shoals Baptist, as they give sacrificially of their prayers, time, love, and money.

With this continued growth the church has also expanded its ministry through the expansion of its staff. In 1988, Dudley Shoals called its first Associate Pastor, Rev. Daniel W. Redding. Associate Pastor, Rev. Dusty Bradshaw, served 1990-92. Dr. Robert Weathers was called as Director of Ministry in 1992 and is serving faithfully.

In this, the 133th year of ministry of Dudley Shoals Baptist, the congregation looks back with prayers of thanksgiving to God for those who have given of themselves to share the Gospel of Christ with men, women, boys and girls. This continues to be the mission of Dudley Shoals Baptist Church as the church looks into the future.

1861 ~ PASTORS ~ 1991

Robert L. Steel	1861	W.R. Beach	1897-1902
Isaac Oxford	1861-1863	W.J. Bumgarner	1902-1917
James Reid	1863-1866	E.V. Bumgarner	1917-1919
George Sherrill	1866-1870	W.J. Bumgarner	1919-1920
J. T. Shell		B.F. Austin	1920-1922
Smith Ferguson	1870-1873	J.W. Watts	1922-1931
Christie Poole	1873-1879	T.E. Payne	1931-1935
J. P. Gualtney	1879-1884	C.A. Abernathy	1935-1936
W. J. Bumgarner	1884-1885	J.G. Benfield	1936-1937
W. A. Poole	1885-1886	E.V. Bumgarner	1937-1943
H. D. Lequex	1886-1888	Paul Hester	1943-1946
W. A. Poole	1888-1889	A.E. Watts	1946-1951
J. P. Gualtney	1889-1892	J.C. Brooks	1951-1952
J. M. Shaver	1892-1894	J.L. Price	1953-1956
J. A. Downs	1894-1897	Hal Hovis	1956-1960
Fred Johnson	1960-1966	Donald Ferrell	1966-1971
Donald W. Ingle	1972-Present		

Central Baptist Church

Rev. John Jernigan, Pastor

On January 15, 1938, a group of people assembled together for the purpose of organizing a new church. These people had emerged from Whitnel Baptist Church, which is now known as the Central Baptist Church of Whitnel. This group had been meeting in the home of Rev. J. H. Crisp and after confirming themselves to be in full fellowship with their former church they moved to establish Central Baptist Church. Three deacons, J. E. Taylor, W. C. Lutz, and W. H. Livingston and the Rev. J. H. Crisp composed the presbytery which organized the church with 16 charter members. On the night of organization 48 others joined, making a total of 64 members.

The first building built to house Central Baptist Church was a wooden structure built by the 64 members on a lot purchased on January 17, 1938. The building was 50 by 30 feet in size and was made of tongue and groove roofers, it was completed in six days and was known as the "Tabernacle". The first service was held on January 22, 1938, a bell was obtained from Grover Bush which had been donated to the New Colliers Church by George and Lillian Everhardt (this church had been dissolved). On January 1, 1948, a new sanctuary was built, following its completion a two-story Educational Building was built and was annexed to the new sanctuary. In 1959, a new Educational Building was built and was joined by a breezeway to the other structure. By 1969 a new sanctuary was again needed but instead of building a new building the present structure was remodeled and enlarged. The adjoining property owned by Barringer Oil Company was purchased in 1984, their office building was remodeled and now houses the Church Administrative Offices. A Family Life Center was built on part of the property and the first service in it was our Homecoming in 1985.

The first elected deacons were: J. M. Smith, R. S. Taylor and H. S. Craig. The Rev. J. H. Crisp was asked to serve as supply pastor of the newly organized church, later in 1942 he was called as regular pastor. Joe Smith was the first Superintendent of the Sunday School. Carl Swanson was the first Music Director, and Rev. Carl Roberts was the first elected pastor. Following Rev. Roberts as pastor was Rev. Dexter Crouch, Rev. J. H. Crisp, Rev. J. J. Buckner, Rev. C. H. Kincaid, Rev. Roy Collins, Jr., Rev. Todd Morris, Rev. Paul Wall and currently Rev. John Jernigan Serving as interim pastors were Rev. Masten Bradshaw, Rev. Lloyd Black, Rev. Fred Price, Rev. Frank Colburn and Rev. Kenneth Lynch.

Central Baptist Church is fully organized with Sunday School, Discipleship Training, WMU, and Brotherhood. The church has been host to a Caldwell Missionary Baptist Association Annual Meeting in 1948, 1956, 1971, 1976 and 1988. This year the church will host the Messengers at their Fall Quarterly Meeting.

Central Baptist Church has grown from 64 members to more than 700, we are so thankful for all the blessings God has bestowed upon us and because of His many blessings in September 1988, we celebrated our 50th Anniversary in God's service and we are prayerfully starting on the next 50 years.

HOME MISSION BOARD REPORT

Gwyn Warren, Representative
Hartland Baptist Church

The Home Mission Board (HMB) is a missionary-sending agency of the Southern Baptist Convention (SBC). Headquartered in Atlanta, Ga., the HMB's purpose is

to serve Southern Baptists by assisting churches to proclaim the gospel of Jesus Christ, start and grow New Testament congregations, and minister to people in the name of Christ.

At the end of last year, 4,882 missions personnel were serving in the United States, the Caribbean, Guam, American Samoa, and Canada. The HMB also had endorsed more than 2,300 chaplains who were serving in healthcare agencies, institutions, businesses, the military, and pastoral-care roles. More than 1,700 Mission Service Corps volunteers were serving on home mission fields. During the year there were 1,500 church starts (more than four per day) and 349,073 baptisms.

Approximately half of the HMB's support comes from individual SBC churches through the annual Annie Armstrong Easter Offering for Home Missions. In 1993, gifts to the offering totaled \$36.31 million, about 3 percent less than the 1993 total. One hundred percent of the offering goes to support the work of home missionaries in the field. The 1994 Annie Armstrong Easter Offering goal is \$40 million. About 36 percent of the HMB's income comes from the denomination's Cooperative Program.

The following is a summary of program/support ministry highlights from 1993:

Chaplaincy Ministries — The 2,325 Southern Baptist now serving as chaplains and pastoral counselors reported more than 24,000 professions of faith and 4,500 baptisms.

Church Loans — Approximately 1,056 churches had active loans totaling \$131.1 million. The Church Loans Division closed 120 church loans totaling \$32 million, including \$3.8 million of refinancing.

Language Missions — Home missionaries and pastors in the Language Church Extension Division serve among 102 ethnic groups using 98 languages and dialects.

Evangelism — during Crossover Houston, the Mass Evangelism Department coordinated 35 street evangelism events, 25 block parties, nine evangelistic rallies, and 68 special Harvest Revivals and events. These activities resulted in 1,253 conversions. The Personal Evangelism Department produced and shipped materials for "Here's Hope. Share Jesus Now." This emphasis will include 60 Days of Soul-Winning, January 9 - March 9, 1995.

Volunteers — More than 74,860 Southern Baptist adults, college students, and youth group members volunteered for long- and short-term projects. In addition, several thousand more were involved in disaster relief efforts in the Midwest.

Church Evangelism Development — Over 1 million teens participated in "See You At The Pole" gathering at their flagpoles to pray for the schools of our nation.

Administration — The Home Mission Board broke ground for a new national office building which will be completed in 1995. Customer Services received more than 51,000 calls and shipped almost 5 million pieces of HMB material.

MEDIA/LIBRARY COUNCIL REPORT

Mrs. Bobbi Watson, Director
Miller Hill Baptist Church

Our church library staffs are made up of individuals who believe that the church library is a vital part of the church. Our ministry supports all the other programs of the church. We have materials to help people study the Bible more effectively, win a friend to Christ, teach a class more effectively, meet a family crisis, or help the children in the church learn that studying the Bible is fun.

Our group met quarterly to train ourselves to better serve our churches. Our attendance has grown to an average of 24 at our meetings with 17 churches being represented. Thirty library staff members were present at our last meeting. This meeting was a book fair held at the Cornerstone Christian Book Store. A group of six went to the State Library meeting in April. I attended the Key Leadership Conference at Ridgecrest. Another group attended the Library Week at Ridgecrest in July for one day. One of our group attended for the entire week. We are making plans for the Media Library Council to attend the National Library Conference in Nashville in March. We have three churches that have their library collection on computer.

Our goal has always been to reach new churches every year and to continually improve and strengthen our existing libraries. We want our church libraries to truly make a difference in the lives of the people we serve.

MEMBERS DECEASED 1993-94

BATON

Mr. Billy Earl McGlothlin
Mrs. Charlotte Elrod

CALVARY

Mr. Joe Bryant
Mr. Cub Bryant
Ms. Johnsie Greene
Ms. Mary Griffin
Mr. Bill Icenhour
Ms. Von Nell Morrow
Ms. Estelle Parsons
Ms. Juanita Peters
Ms. Nellie Wood

CENTER GROVE

Mrs. Eva Allison
Mrs. Dorothy Bumgarner
Mr. Calvin Bumgarner
Mrs. Christine Stamper

CENTRAL

Mrs. Virginia Chandler
Mrs. Nannie Craig
Mrs. Kathryn Roberts

CLARKS CHAPEL

Deacon L. Parks Underdown
Mrs. Bunie Underdown
Mrs. Cora Wilson

CLOVER

Mrs. Joyce Ballenger
Mr. Fate Bailey
Mrs. Chess Warlick
Mrs. Donnie Estes

CLOVER cont.

Mrs. Gertrude Cook
Mrs. Madge Poe Wright
Mr. Jerry Stamey
Mr. Carroll C. Miller

COLLEGE AVENUE

Mr. Steve Smith
Ms. Betty Adkins
Mr. Robert L. Greene
Mr. Terrell Cannon
Mr. Paris Adkins
Ms. Frances Brinegar
Mr. J. Colon Keller
Ms. Gladys Stout
Ms. Marion Crisp Setzer
Ms. Myrtle Triplett
Ms. Betty Jo Robbins
Ms. Blanche Davis
Mr. D. W. Smith
Mr. Charlie Pennell

CONCORD

Mr. Brady Hollar
Mrs. Lela Oxford
Mrs. Ila Mae Kirby Oxford
Mrs. John E. (Mamie) Yount
Mr. Sam Jones
Ms. Margaret White
Rev. Clyde Helton

CREST VIEW

Ms. Janice Suddreth
Mr. Tyler Ingram

DUDLEY SHOALS

Deacon Herman Kizer

DUDLEY SHOALS cont.

Ms. Mildred Williams
Ms. Doris Sears
Mr. Carl Earp
Mr. Clyde Auton
Mr. Mark Reed
Ms. Bonnie Brown

FELLOWSHIP

Ms. Ruby Younce Hamby

FLEMINGS CHAPEL

Mr. Ira Greene
Mr. Robert Key
Ms. Joyce Harmon
Mr. L. C. Reichard
Ms. Alice Ellison

GRANITE FALLS FIRST

Mr. Howard Phillips
Mr. Maynard Bumgarner
Mr. Harold Reid
Mr. Sean Johnston
Mr. Woodrow Wilson

HARRIS CHAPEL

Mr. Manuel Jolley
Mrs. Phyllis Hartley
Mrs. Ruth Hartley
Mr. Elmer Kincaid
Mrs. Dorcus Hartley

HARRISBURG

Mr. Bernard Norris

HARTLAND

Mr. Glenn Sanders
Ms. Maybell McKinney

HUDSON FIRST

Mrs. Elizabeth Barnhardt
Mr. Gary Bean
Mrs. Irene Colvard
Mrs. Bertha Harmon
Mrs. Jerri Lohret
Mrs. Lucy Prestwood

INDIAN HILLS

Mr. L.C. Jenkins

KINGS CREEK

Miss Stella Austin, Missionary
Mr. Vernon Cantor, Sr.

LAKEVIEW

Mr. Perry Homer Church
Ms. Nevada Hollar

LENOIR FIRST

Mr. Genio Walsh
Mrs. Clara W. Hickman
Mr. John H. Runnion
Mrs. J. D. (Rhea) Leatherman
Mr. Kearney C. Pearch
Deacon Cecil G. Whitener
Miss Margaret Chester
Mrs. G. L. (Pauline) Morris
Mr. Robert E. Annas, Sr.

LOWER CREEK

Ms. Alma Cannon
Ms. Fannie Oxford

LOWER CREEK cont.

Ms. Grace Pennell
Mr. Charles Harless
Mr. Bennett Faulkner
Mr. Clarence Mullinax

MEADOWBROOK

Mrs. John Moser
Mr. Bruce Williams

MILLER HILL

Ms. Roxie Adkins
Mr. Oliver Barrier
Ms. Sybil Sanders

MOUNT ZION

Mr. T. J. Hester
Mr. Phillip Mask
Mr. Rual Hice
Mrs. Kay Chester
Ms. Faye Clark
Mr. Paul Benfield
Mrs. Jennie Benfield
Mrs. Mary Wilson
Mrs. Carrie Setzer
Mr. George Moore
Mrs. Elsie Herman
Mr. Oscar Miller

MOUNTAIN GROVE

Mr. Douglas Chester
Ms. Georgia Hayes
Ms. Jane Prestwood
Ms. Ruth Whisnant

NELSONS CHAPEL

Mr. Shuford Kirby
Mr. Ralph Miller

NORTH CATAWBA

Mrs. Fannie Moore Baker
Mr. Ted Beane

OAK GROVE

Ms. Jean Fairchild
Mr. David Bryant, Sr.
Mr. Fred Reid
Ms. Patsy Henderson

PINEY GROVE

Mrs. Mattie Christenbury
Miss Beulah Greene

POOVEYS CHAPEL

Mrs. Edith Hartley
Mrs. Linda Laney

POOVEYS GROVE

Mr. Olar Mise
Mr. Robert Singleton
Mrs. Tommy Rhea

RHODHISS FIRST

Mr. Arley Church
Ms. Louise Harrison
Mrs. Nancy Brady

RUFUS

Rev. Keith Cline

UNION

Mr. Paul West
Mr. Bud Brookshire

UNION GROVE

Ms. Hazel Edmisten
Mr. Carl Clontz
Mr. Jake Spears
Ms. Adrien Youn
Ms. Ila Herman

WEST LENOIR

Mr. Horace Craig
Mr. Isaac Rich
Ms. Annie Gilbert
Ms. Louise Jones

WHITNEL FIRST

Mr. Sidney Swanson
Mr. Doug Gentry
Mr. Lester Griffin
Ms. Mary Jean Bingham

YADKIN

Mrs. Clara Whisnant
Mrs. Shully Conley
Mrs. Eliza Moretz
Mrs. Ollie Curtis
Mr. Carl Miller
Mrs. Ethel Hamby

ZACKS FORK

Mr. Elmer Blevins
Mr. Bill Hartley

MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE REPORT

Rev. Wayne White, Chairman
Oak Grove Baptist Church

On October 29, 1993, the Membership Committee recommended to the Messengers during the second session of the 109th Annual Meeting that Gethsemane and Providence Baptist Churches be brought under the watchcare of the association. This recommendation was approved.

The Membership Committee met with the Gethsemane congregation on September 2, 1993 to discuss their desire to join the association. Members of the committee attended the Constitution Service of the Gethsemane Baptist Church on Sunday, October 10, 1993. Dr. Robert Evans, Jr., then chairman of the Membership Committee, presided over the constituting service. Dale Fisher, Director of Missions, delivered the message.

On Monday, October 11, 1993, the Membership Committee met with the Providence congregation to discuss their desire to join the association. Members of the committee attended the Constitution Service of the Providence Baptist Church on Sunday, November 7, 1993. Rev. Fisher also preached in their constituting service.

The Membership Committee met on October 11, 1994 to discuss the association's relationship with the two churches. It was decided that the committee would recommend both churches to the association for full membership during the 110th Annual Meeting. Mr. Fisher sent a letter to each church stating the committee's decision.

MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATIONS

RECOMMENDATION NUMBER ONE

The Gethsemane Baptist Church has requested membership in the Caldwell Baptist Association, Incorporated. The Membership Committee has considered their request, met with members of the church and participated in their Service of Constitution.

The Membership Committee feels that the church genuinely wants to be Southern Baptist in faith and practice. Therefore, the committee recommends that the Messengers receive the Gethsemane Baptist Church as a full member of the Caldwell Baptist Association, Incorporated as of Thursday, October 27, 1994.

RECOMMENDATION NUMBER TWO

The Providence Baptist Church has requested membership in the Caldwell Baptist Association, Incorporated. The Membership Committee has considered their request, met with members of the church and participated in their Service of Constitution.

The Membership Committee feels that the church genuinely wants to be Southern Baptist in faith and practice. Therefore, the committee recommends that the Messengers receive the Providence Baptist Church as a full member of the Caldwell Baptist Association, Incorporated as of Thursday, October 27, 1994.

MINISTERS AND WIVES QUARTERLY FELLOWSHIP REPORT

Dale Fisher, Acting Chairman
Mount Zion Baptist Church

The Ministers and Wives Quarterly Fellowships were held on November 8, 1993, February 17 and May 16, 1994. The fellowship scheduled for August 15, 1994 was canceled.

The November 8 fellowship, held at the Hartland Baptist Church, was called a "Holiday Gathering". A traditional meal was followed with music by the "Hartland Five" and a time of "Sharing Our Gratitude" led by Leland Green. Ken Mashburn concluded the program with "Words of Inspiration".

Lower Creek Baptist Church was the site for the fellowship held on February 17, 1994. This was a "Pastor and Church Staff Appreciation Dinner" along with their spouses. The association provided the meal as a gift for their service to the churches. Reg Alexander of Regal Ventures entertained and challenged those in attendance.

The spring fellowship was held on May 16, 1994 at the Chesterfield Grill on Highway 18 in Burke County. It was a time of fellowship over good food with no planned program.

MINISTER'S CONFERENCE REPORT

Rev. Doug Jordan, President
Lower Creek Baptist Church

The officers of the Minister's Conference met each month to plan the programs for the conference. A variety of programs were offered to the pastors, staff ministers and retired ministers who attended the conferences. An average of twenty ministers attended the conferences each month.

Programs

October 6, 1993	-	Inspirational Message by Rev. Conrad Hefner
November 4	-	Life Enrichment Center report by Counselor Tommie Davis
December 1	-	Church and Ministers Tax Seminar led by Rev. Bill Pearson
January 5, 1994	-	Inspirational Message by Rev. Mark Blair
February 2	-	Insurance and Retirement Program led by Jim Lambert of the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina
March 2	-	Caldwell County Sheriff's Department Program led by the Sheriff Roger Hutchinson and Rev. Dale Matheson
April 6	-	Inspirational Message by Dr. David Smith
May 4	-	Caldwell Memorial Hospital Chaplaincy Program led by Fred Barnes
June 1	-	Staying Fresh in the Ministry led by Kenneth Bragg
July 6	-	Inspiration Message by Rev. Charles Murrell
August 3	-	Open Forum led by Rev. Tom Small dealing with visitation, administration, weddings, special offerings, marketing, counseling and planning
September 7	-	Physical Fitness by Tom Franks

MINISTERS WIVES' FELLOWSHIP GROUP REPORT

Nancy Martin, Chairman
Union Baptist Church

A "Ministers Wives' Prayer Breakfast" was held on Saturday, April 16, 1994 at the Caldwell Baptist Center as a time of fellowship and inspiration. Mary Small, a pastor's wife and former Southern Baptist foreign missionary, was the guest speaker and the theme was "Showers of Blessings".

The Ministers Wives' Fellowship Group is for the wives of active, deceased, or retired ministers in the Caldwell Association. It is designed to provide fellowship, encouragement, dialogue and mutual care for the wives.

MISSIONS DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL REPORT

Joann Propst, Director
First Baptist Church of Rhodhiss

"Come, follow me and I will make you fishers of men." (Matthew 4:19)

LOCAL MISSIONS REPORT

Darlene Townsend, Local Missions Promotion and Projects Director
 Buffalo Cove Baptist Church

Caldwell Baptist Association began the sixth year of Sunday morning worship services at Green Mountain Park on March 6, 1994. The total attendance through September was 1,669 with a high attendance of 150. Fifteen ministers and twenty-three musicians from eighteen churches followed our Lord as they led in these services.

1994 Green Mountain Park Worship Services Coordinators

March/July	Rev. Dale Fisher
April/August	Rev. J.W. Crouse, Marie Phillips and Wilmetia Crump
May/September	Rev. and Mrs. Howard Barnes
June/October	Rev. Lawrence Robertson and Marlene Alexander

Ministers:

Dale Fisher - Mount Zion	Jonathan Clark - Hudson First
J.W. Crouse - Grandview Park	Lawrence Robertson - Hudson First
Howard Tallent - Brookwood	J. B. Crouse - Mountain View
Richard Yount - Cahj's Mountain	John Barnhardt - North Catawba
Terry Barnes - Crest View	Fred Hicks - Temple Hill
Stanley Townsend - New Life	Mark Blair - Friendship
Rowe Teague - Hudson First	Pete Myers - Oak Grove
Victor Cole - Out-of-town guest	

Musicians:

Marie Phillips - Miller Hill	Elizabeth Shell - Hudson First
Joyce Lovins - Miller Hill	Rhonda Griffin - Central
Wilmetia Crump - Grandview Park	Karen Ford - Nelsons Chapel
Brad Eavenson - Friendship	Mary Suddreth - Clover
Lanette Cole - Friendship	Sheila Klutz - Clover
Bruce Cole - Friendship	Pat Mitchell - Lower Creek
Mary Bentley - Crest View	Alice Reid - Lower Creek
Elizabeth Bentley - Crest View	Mark Blair - Friendship
Bryan Gibson - Crest View	Layne Edwards - Friendship
Marlene Alexander - Central	James Hampton - Friendship
Gwyn Warren - Hartland	Cecil Ballew - Camper
Bobby Parsons - Friendship	

GREEN MOUNTAIN PARK CHILDREN'S CAMP

June 6 - August 11, 1994

Crest View Baptist Church

Faculty 16 - Campers 55

Faculty:

Matt Clayton	Mike Smith	Billy Krapish
Christine Clayton	Elaine Smith	Kristy Hannah
Amanda Gibson	Daniel Bishop	Rachael Widener
Bryan Gibson	Leslie Bishop	Kasey Robbins

Crest View cont.
Clyde Conner
Dennis Simmons

Luke Conner

Janet Simmons

Friendship Baptist Church

Faculty 10 - Campers 77

Faculty:

Scott Elliott

Emilee Fox

Jill Price

Lori Lynn Price

Curtis Holman

Kendra Cloer

Chuck Haggist

Janeise Harmon

Jason Hall

Johanna Young

Buffalo Cove Baptist Church

Faculty 16 - Campers 104

Faculty:

Ginelle Conley

Dot Hawkins

Leta Watson

Darlene Townsend

Tom Small

Chris Hawkins

Lena Bumgarner

Billie Sue Watson

Cathy Hawkins

Shannon Winberg

Mary Small

Pat Hall

Scott Watson

Dusty Watson

Chad Robbins

Josie Watson

Kings Creek Baptist Church

Faculty 12 - Campers 86

Faculty:

Bob Lowman

Karla Lowman

Lisa Rich

Kim Stanbury

Edgar Stanbury

Brian Hatton

Myrra Hatton

Sara Howell

Crystal Hawkins

Amy Crouch

Robert McCall

Julie Burnette

Mount Zion Baptist Church

Faculty 26 - Campers 47

Faculty:

Robby Annas

Kara Barlow

Rochelle Barlow

Kristin Burton

Kristy Clay

Denise Clough

Matthew Coffey

Wesley Cox

Bryan Crouse

Sarah Crouse

Sabrina Deitz

Barbara Fisher

Matthew Fisher

Karen Helton

April Johnson

Nikki Johnson

Duane Kuykendall

Debbie Kuykendall

Jason Kuykendall

Todd McDowell

Erin Miller

Matthew Miller

Chad Smith

Kendra Smith

Brandi Walker

Chip Wilson

First Baptist Church Whitnel

Faculty 6 - Campers 39

Faculty:

Wayne Caviness

Ruth Nelson

Mildred Roberts

Ruth Johnson

Raymond White

Patsy White

Poovey's Chapel Baptist Church

Faculty 25 - Campers 36

Faculty:

Carole Overbay

Debbie Eckard

Leslie Ford

Amanda Woodring

Valerie Coffing

Brandi Eckard

Brenda Taylor

Elreta Harris

Dean Harrold

Poovey's Chapel cont.

Tonyne Haynes
 Chad Pearson
 Chip Cobb
 Doug Gilliam
 Mary Taylor

Angie Fillers
 Crystal Morgan
 Andrea Taylor
 Wendy Hall
 Jamie Canterbury

Doris Harrold
 Greg VanDyke
 David Haas
 Angela Brown

Union Baptist Church
 Faculty 9 - Campers 35

Faculty:

Will Derrick
 Susan Church
 Angie White

Angie Derrick
 Hilda Acord
 Susanne Hollar

Kuisha Woodruff
 Nancy Martin
 Glenda Anderson

A new ministry began in Caldwell Baptist Association in December, 1993. A recommendation from the Missions Development Council was presented and passed at the Annual Meeting in October, 1993 concerning a ministry with Caldwell Memorial Hospital. This ministry involves a weekly Bible study for patients, family members and others in the newly organized Restorative Care Unit. The Missions Development Council asked our churches for help in two ways. 1) Teach Sunday School lessons each Sunday afternoon for one month. 2) Purchase literature for one quarter of study. We thank the following churches and volunteers for their help in this ministry:

Lakeview Baptist Church
 December, 1993

Volunteers:

Howard Annas, Benny Buckner, Gerald Hawkins and Robert Brown

Clark's Chapel Baptist Church
 January, 1994

Volunteers:

Daniel Kirby, Myrna Nelson, Henry Good, Denna White, and Shirley Cowick

Temple Hill Baptist Church
 February, 1994

Volunteers:

Carl Dewey, Bernice Marley, Richard Hay, Danny Fairchild and Jane Fairchild

Lower Creek Baptist Church
 April, 1994

Volunteers:

Doug Jordan, Blanc Aldridge, Ernest Bartles and Cynthia Parsons

Buffalo Cove Baptist Church
 May, 1994

Volunteers:

Tom Small, Mary Small, Darlene Townsend, Ginelle Conley, Dot Hawkins and David Townsend

Union Baptist Church
 June, 1994

Volunteers:

Susan Church

First Baptist Church Hudson

June, 1994

Volunteers:

Mary Beane, Hovis Allen

North Catawba Baptist Church

July, 1994

Volunteers:

John Barnhardt, Lewis Moore and Clyde Poole

Buffalo Cove Baptist Church

July, 1994

Volunteers:

Darlene Townsend

Gethsemane

August, 1994

Volunteers:

Lillian Turnmire, Dale Allen, Lloyd King and Buryl Bryant

Zacks Fork Baptist Church

September, 1994

Volunteers:

Bobby Brooks, Jane Simmons, Laura Brooks and Brenda Brooks

Churches providing literature include:

Buffalo Cove, Lakeview and Nelson's Chapel

Thanks to concerned Caldwell Baptists, through Rex House, homeless men now have much needed toiletries. Rex House exists to minister to homeless men. The objective is to help men come to know the Lord and to become productive citizens of Caldwell County. The ministry also helps the men to secure employment.

STATE MISSIONS REPORT

Floyd Annas, State Missions Promotion and Projects Director

Mount Zion Baptist Church

Seventeen volunteers from seven churches worked at Caswell Baptist Assembly during the week of January 30 - February 5, 1994. These volunteers worked a total of 318 hours. Volunteers were:

Floyd Annas, Mt. Zion	Howard Barnes, Friendship	Brian Smith, Hartland
Theresa Annas, Mt. Zion	Marline Barnes, Friendship	Barry Mock, Hartland
Boyd Cloer, Friendship	Phil Turnmire, Mt. Zion	Curtis Powell, Dry Ponds
Earl Woods, Mt. Zion	Keith Moore, Mt. Zion	Lewis Miller, Mt. Zion
Johnsie Woods, Mt. Zion	Danny Miller, Mtn. Grove	Todd Brittain, Hartland
Kathryn Cloer, Friendship		Zeno Hames, Lower Creek

Caswell Work Week this coming year will be one month later, February 26 - March 4, 1995. If you would like to be a part of this volunteer group, please contact Floyd Annas at 396-1970 or the Baptist Center at 758-4081.

Thanks to Caldwell Baptists a large box of toiletries has been sent to Lee and Carol Flowe for Campers on Mission. This is to be used in their ministry at the State Fair this year. These items will be used as Campers on Mission minister and witness to

the traveling Fair workers. Please pray for this ministry that Caldwell Baptists have had a part in providing.

HOME MISSIONS REPORT

Marlene Alexander, Home Missions Promotion and Projects Director
Central Baptist Church

Forty-four Caldwell Baptists from eight churches answered the call to return to Watertown, New York and work with Anchor Way Baptist Church, July 16-23, 1994. Anchor Way is a mission church with a new pastor, Doyle Hales. Our work consisted of five Backyard Bible Clubs each morning and eleven survey teams each evening in the area surrounding Anchor Way Baptist Church. Each day we typed prospect cards to leave with the church. The day we left Watertown, Anchor Way began their visitation program that night. Volunteers were:

Marlene Alexander, Central	Duane Kuykendall, Mt. Zion	Timothy Rush, Mt. Zion
Shawn Alexander, Central	Gwyn Warren, Hartland	Robby Annas, Mt. Zion
Carole Barnhardt, N.Cat.	Rochelle Barlow, Mt. Zion	Kara Barlow, Mt. Zion
Kristin Burton, Mt. Zion	Linda Carpenter, Mt. Zion	Kristy Clay, Mt. Zion
Denise Clough, Mt. Zion	Matthew Coffey, Mt. Zion	Wesley Cox, Mt. Zion
Bryan Crouse, Mt. Zion	Sarah Crouse, Mt. Zion	Sabrina Deitz, Mt. Zion
Barbara Fisher, Mt. Zion	Dale Fisher, Mt. Zion	Matthew Fisher, Mt. Zion
Brandi Icard, Mt. Zion	April Johnson, Mt. Zion	Nikki Johnson, Mt. Zion
Jason Kuykendall, Mt. Zion	Todd McDowell, Mt. Zion	Erin Miller, Mt. Zion
Matthew Miller, Mt. Zion	Debbie Kuykendall, Mt. Zion	Chad Smith, Mt. Zion
Kimberly Barnhardt, N.Cat.	Brandi Walker, Mt. Zion	Chip Wilson, Mt. Zion
Cana Wittenberg, Mt. Zion	Kendra Smith, Mt. Zion	Linda Austin, Mt. Zion
Mozelle White, Oak Grove	Don Norman, Rhodhiss	Joann Propst, Rhodhiss
Brandy Overcash, Temp. Hill	Ricky Ingle, Temp. Hill	Vicki Overcash, Temp. Hill
Vicki Overcash, Temple Hill	Paul Haynes, Dudley Shoals (Driver)	

Again Caldwell Baptists have opened their hearts and pocketbooks to share with the earthquake and flood victims in our nation. \$5,773.60 was sent for the California earthquake victims and for the Georgia flood victims \$819.94 plus a very generous supply of household and cleaning supplies.

The 1993-94 church volunteers are as follows:

CHURCH	NO. OF VOL.	PLACE OF SERVICE	TYPE OF WORK
1. Center Grove	15	Atlanta, Georgia	Worked in two Soup Kitchens
2. Crest View	16	Outer Banks, N. C.	Backyard Bible Clubs, Survey, Clowns, Puppets, and Face Painting
3. Concord	30	Jacksonville, Fla. Sponsoring Tia-Maria Mission in Romania Sponsoring Hispanic Baptist Mission in Granite Falls (Pastor, Renaldo Cantu, Wife, Juanita Cantu)	VBS and Concerts

CHURCH	NO. OF VOL.	PLACE OF SERVICE	TYPE OF WORK
4. Dudley Shoals	6	Waverly, New York	Survey, and Sunday School Training
5. Friendship	4	Myrtle Beach, S. C.	Campground Ministry, Mall Ministry with FBC Hudson
6. Hudson First	42	Myrtle Beach, S. C.	Campground Ministry and Mall Ministry
7. Lenoir First	13	Atlanta, Georgia	Apartment Cleaning, Home Visits and Recreation for Children
8. Lower Creek	21	Outer Banks, N. C.	Campground Ministry and Recreational Ministry
9. Mountain Grove	24	Mooreville, N. C.	Backyard Bible Club, Survey, 3 Night Revival (14 professions of faith)
10. New Life		Lenoir, N. C.	Street Ministry
11. Rhodhiss First	35	Granite Falls, N. C.	Youth Rally (Purpose: Reach youth in Caldwell and surrounding counties) 4 professions of faith
12. Yadkin	21	Myrtle Beach, S. C.	Campground Ministry, Concert and Backyard Bible Club

The 1993-94 individual volunteers are as follows:

CHURCH	VOLUNTEER	PLACE OF SERVICE	TYPE OF WORK
1. Concord	Paul Childers	Romania	Evangelism
2. Dudley Shoals	Michael Harkness	Ukraine	Evangelism
	Alma (Suzi) Helton	Uruguay, Germany, Philippines, Mexico, France	VBS with MKs
	Crystal Helton	Mexico	VBS with MKs
	Keith Sims	Raleigh, Charlotte, Elkins, W. Va.	Construction/Brick
	Shirley Sims	Elkins, W. Va.	Construction/Brick

CHURCH	VOLUNTEER	PLACE OF SERVICE	TYPE OF WORK
3. Fellowship	Chad Powell	Ukraine	Evangelism/Const.
	Jeff Johnson	Elkins, W. Va.	Construction/Brick
	Lisa Johnson	Elkins, W. Va.	Construction/Brick
4. Hudson First	Wilnita Cloer	Philippines	VBS with MKs
5. Lenoir First	Anneal Ledbetter	Philippines	VBS with MKs
6. Lower Creek	Pam Estes	Philippines	VBS with MKs
	Carol Deal	Philippines	VBS with MKs
	Brenda Bartles	France	VBS with MKs
7. Mt. Zion	Lewis Miller	Brazil	Evangelism
	Linda Austin	Brazil	Evangelism
	Diane Caldwell	Brazil	Evangelism
8. Rhodhiss First	Joann Propst	Philippines	VBS with MKs
9. Union Grove	Jean Smith	Philippines	VBS with MKs
10. Whitnel First	Mildred Roberts	Philippines, Germany & France	VBS with MKs
	Blake Roberts	Philippines	VBS with MKs
11. Yadkin	Wayburn Braswell	Philippines	VBS with MKs

MISSIONS DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL RECOMMENDATIONS

1. The Missions Development Council recommends that the home mission trip scheduled for July 15-22, 1995 be changed to a weekend mission trip. The date will be given later when a suitable location has been found. It is difficult for some people to go on an eight day trip. Hopefully, this change will allow some hands on mission experience for those who have not had the opportunity to go in the past.
2. The Missions Development Council recommends that the association sponsor a foreign, evangelistic mission trip to Kenya, sometime between June 3 - July 17, 1995. The Baptist Mission of Kenya has requested from the Foreign Mission Board, that 1,400 volunteers come to Kenya to help win 75,000-100,000 people to faith in Christ, and to plant 100 new Baptist churches in a 30-mile radius of the capitol city, Nairobi.

The project will involve training 1,500 Kenyan pastors and church leaders, doing one-on-one evangelism, stadium crusades, discipleship and possibly some church construction. The need is great and the Foreign Mission Board has requested and needs our help.

MUSIC LEADER'S FELLOWSHIP GROUP REPORT

**Leslie Ford, Music Fellowship Director
Poovey's Chapel Baptist Church**

The Music Fellowship Director serves as a member of the association's Music Ministry Council. The Council plans fellowship opportunities along with many other events each year.

"Music Directors' Luncheon Fellowships" were held at the Grape Garden Restaurant in Lenoir on October 21, 1993 and on April 21, 1994. The fellowships were for all persons in music leadership in the churches, including ministers of music, music directors, songleaders, and accompanists.

MUSIC MINISTRY COUNCIL REPORT

**Rev. Sherrill German, Director
Yadkin Baptist Church**

Highlights of music activities of the Caldwell Baptist Association during 1993-94 include times of worship, praise, fun, fellowship and witness to our community. We rejoice in the gifts of music God has given us and continue to seek ways in which we can bring honor and glory to Him through them.

An Associational Youth Music Event was held on Saturday, April 16 at College Avenue Church. Rev. Chris Alley, from Asheville, led a workshop for youth titled "Choosing a Christian Lifestyle". After a supper meal in the fellowship hall, the youth returned to the sanctuary for a time of worship featuring praise music by all participants and testimony and special music by Rev. Alley.

Ten persons representing seven churches enjoyed a Music Director's Fellowship Luncheon on April 21 at the Grape Garden Restaurant in Lenoir.

Mrs. Sylvia Pinson, First Baptist Church of Lenoir, was guest director for the annual Children's Choir Day Camp July 25-28, 9:00-12:00 noon at Lower Creek Church. Enrollment for this event included 57 children, grades 4-7, from 14 different churches, and 8 adult leaders. On Thursday evening, July 28, the children provided a special blessing for messengers of the association at their Summer Quarterly Meeting. The children presented the musical "Kids Praise" which they had learned during the Day Camp.

The Adult Choir Praise Sing was held August 30 at the new J.E. Broyhill Civic Center. The move to the Civic Center provided more space for choirs and audience participation. There were 414 choir members who lifted their voices in praise to the Lord, and another 175 or so persons were present as an audience. The event was very successful and we anticipate continued growth and success in future years.

On a final note, I want to express appreciation to the members of the Music Council for their work in planning and executing these events.

NOMINATING COMMITTEE REPORT

Rev. Jack Sprinkle, Chairman
Clark's Chapel Baptist Church

The Nominating Committee began working on the 1994-95 Associational Leadership on November 4, 1993. The purpose of this first meeting was to select the 1994-95 Mission Performance Program Directors, which is Phase I of the annual work of the committee. Second, third and fourth meetings were held on November 18, November 30, and December 15 to check progress being made in Phase I and to begin work on Phase II. A complete list of Mission Performance Program Directors was presented on schedule to, and approved by, the Messengers on January 27, 1994.

On January 6, February 9, February 23, March 30 and June 29, 1994 the committee met to complete Phase II of the nominating process. Phase II involves the selection of all other leaders for the new year. On April 28, the bulk of Phase II was presented to and approved by the Messengers during their Spring Quarterly Meeting. Additional names were presented and approved during their Summer Quarterly Meeting.

There are over 250 volunteer leadership positions in the association's organizational structure. An effort is made each year by the committee to involve as many different people from as many different churches as possible.

ASSOCIATIONAL LEADERSHIP

October 1, 1994 - September 30, 1995

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

District III: Fred Pike (Lower Creek Church)	1995
P.O. Box 776, Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (758-9264)	
District IV: Jan Lail (Flemings Chapel Church)	1995
125 Spencer Heights, Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (758-9516)	
District V: Jamie Parsons (FBC Hudson)	1996
5372 Valley Run Street, Hickory, N. C. 28601 (327-2655)	
District VI: Joe Sims (Dudley Shoals Church)	1996
3339 Bowman Road, Granite Falls, N. C. 28630 (396-6136)	
District I: Joan Crouse (Mountain View Church)	1997
8 Meandering Way, Granite Falls, N. C. 28630 (396-2545)	
District II: Eugene Woods (Yadkin Church)	1997
P.O. Box 38, Patterson, N. C. 28661 (754-6628)	

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Rev. David Payne (Flemings Chapel Church)	1995
Route 6, Box 295, Lenoir, N. C. 28645 (754-7862)	
Allen Norrod (Harris Chapel Church)	1995
318 Cypress Street, CB-50-12, Hudson, N. C. 28638 (728-0167)	
Rev. Brooks Walker (North Catawba Church)	1996
Route 2, Box 537 A1, Hudson, N.C. 28638 (728-3310)	
Marsha Marshall (Clarks Chapel Church)	1996
212 Friendly Park, Lenoir, N. C. 28645 (728-2470)	
Rev. Dan Redding, Chairman (Center Grove Church)	1997
Route 4, Box 826, Hudson, N.C. 28638 (396-5284)	
Mary Small (Buffalo Cove Church)	1997
610 Swanson Drive, S.W., Lenoir, N. C. 28645 (728-7999)	

Communications Committee

Roger Austin (Mount Zion Church)	1995
Route 4, Box 195, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630 (396-2884)	
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800 Lakewood Drive, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630 (396-5619)	
Rev. Bob Lowman, Jr., Chairman (Kings Creek Church)	1996
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Bob Booth (College Avenue Church)	1996
1412 Poplar Street, Lenoir, N. C. 28645 (758-7260)	
Lisa Chapman (North Catawba Church)	1997
Route 3, Box 342, Lenoir, N. C. 28465 (728-2158)	
Scottie Shaver (FBC Hudson)	1997
611 Ronquil Park, Lenoir, N. C. 28645 (728-2063)	

External Relations Committee

Ruth Greene (Baton Church) American Bible Society Representative	1997
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Rev. A. J. Singley (FBC Whitnel) Annuity Board	1997
268D North Fairview Drive, Lenoir, N. C. 28645 (754-8596)	
Donna Lail (Dudley Shoals Church) Baptist Children's Homes	1997
Route 2, Box 380, Lenoir, N. C. 28645 (757-0700)	
Jeff Annas (FBC Hudson) Baptist Retirement Homes	1997
81 Duke Street, Granite Falls, N. C. 28630 (396-4286)	
Lena Bumgarner (Buffalo Cove Church) Baptist World Alliance	1997
Route 5, Box 422, Lenoir, N. C. 28645 (754-3588)	
Sidney Maynard (Clark's Chapel Church) Biblical Recorder Rep.	1997
4516 Diamond Street, Hudson, N. C. 28638 (728-4506)	
Rev. John Jernigan, Chairman (Central Church) Christian Higher Ed. . . .	1997
1444 Norwood Street, S.W., Lenoir, N. C. 28645 (754-4196)	
Linda Carroll, Secretary (Union Grove Church) Foreign Mission Board . .	1997
133 Bushville Drive, Lenoir, N. C. 28645 (728-8761)	
Dr. David Smith (FBC Lenoir) General Board Representative	
304 Main Street, N.W., Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (758-8428)	
Joann Propst (FBC Rhodhiss) General Board Representative	
63 Duke Power Road, Granite Falls, N. C. 28630 (396-3450)	
Ella Keller (FBC Granite Falls) Home Mission Board	1997
41 Crestview Street, Granite Falls, N. C. 28630 (396-4330)	
Rev. Ed Price (Grandin Church) NC Baptist Foundation	1997
418 Norwood Street, S.W., Lenoir, N. C. 28645 (754-7685)	

Dr. Howard Hawkins (Lakeview Church) NC Baptist Hospital 1997
2618 Hogan Street, S.W., Lenoir, N. C. 28645 (728-9652)

Finance Committee

Neil Annas, Chairman (Dry Ponds Church) 1995
P.O. Drawer 620, Granite Falls, N. C. 28630 (396-3342)
Wayne Austin (Mount Zion Church) 1995
4070 Sparta Drive, Hudson, N.C. 28638 (396-2493)
Sue Smith, Secretary (Miller Hill Church) 1996
1214 Overlook Drive, Lenoir, N. C. 28645 (754-4197)
Betty Rose Miller (Hartland Church) 1996
Route 7, Box 209, Morganton, N.C. 28655 (437-2244)
Conley Starnes (Dudley Shoals Church) 1997
3911 Lazy River Drive, Granite Falls, N. C. 28630 (396-3491)
Diane Hoyle (Mulvale Church) 1997
P.O. Box 74, Collettsville, N. C. 28611 (758-4740)

History Committee

Helga King (Nelsons Chapel Church) 1995
Route 8, Box 212, Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (754-2945)
Shirley Moss (FBC Granite Falls) 1995
5 Circle Street, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630 (396-3950)
Joann Jarvis (Clark's Chapel Church) 1996
313 Clark's Chapel Road, Lenoir, N. C. 28645 (728-6623)
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John Hawkins (Piney Grove Church) 1997
Route 5, Box 430, Lenoir, N. C. 28645 (754-5806)
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Lewis Annas (Baton Church) 1995
Route 2, Box 466, Hudson, N.C. 28638 (728-9434)
James Fox (Friendship Church) 1995
1432 May Road, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630 (396-1138)
Rev. Wayne White, Chairman (Oak Grove Church) 1996
4950 Oak Grove Church Road, Granite Falls, N. C. 28630 (396-2655)
Rev. Leland Green (Nelsons Chapel Church) 1996
602 Swanson Drive, Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (728-1136)
Winifred Thurkill (FBC Hudson) 1997
543 Circle Drive, C-22-6, Hudson, N. C. 28638 (728-6294)
Shirley Sims (Dudley Shoals Church) 1997
5756 Charlie Little Road, Granite Falls, N. C. 28630 (396-3265)

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Doug Clark (Mountain View Church) District I 1995
Route 10, Box 256, Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (758-1572)
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P.O. Box 2580, Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (758-4036)
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Route 1, Box 568, Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (758-1726)
Clarence Prestwood (Miller Hill Church) District IV 1996
1421 Overlook Drive, S.W., Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (754-6140)

Rev. Jack Sprinkle, Chairman (Clark's Chapel Church) District V	1997
345 Clark's Chapel Road, Lenoir, N. C. 28645 (728-3028)	
Wade Yount, Jr. (Concord Church) District VI	1997
8 Clearview Street, Granite Falls, N. C. 28630 (396-5075)	

Personnel Committee

Linda Church (Mount Zion Church)	1995
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Nancy Ramsey (Dry Ponds Church)	1995
Route 2, Box 459-C, Hudson, N.C. 28638 (728-3457)	
Jake Watson (Crest View Church)	1996
807 Powell Road, Lenoir, N. C. 28645 (754-9522)	
Rev. Don Ingle, Chairman (Dudley Shoals Church)	1996
1882 Dudley Shoals Road, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630 (396-7300)	
Venoy Bryant (Blue Ridge Church)	1997
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Properties Committee

Charles Suddreth (Yadkin Church)	1995
Route 5, Box 760, Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (754-7869)	
Valerie McRary (Yadkin Church)	1995
P.O. Box 10, Patterson, N.C. 28661 (758-4580)	
Harold Joplin (Blue Ridge Church)	1996
4354 Chantilly Drive, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630 (396-2800)	
Pearl Setzer (Friendship Church)	1996
2698 Terrance Drive, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630 (396-5345)	
Fred Nelson (Clark's Chapel Church)	1997
341 Pleasant Hill Road, Hudson, N. C. 28638 (726-0301)	
Fred King, Chairman (Nelson's Chapel Church)	1997
Route 8, Box 212, Lenoir, N. C. 28645 (754-2945)	

Search Committee

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Lad Director: Earl Lingle (Clover Church)

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Human Relations Director: Lenus Morrison (FBC Hudson)
104 Hollins Circle, Lenoir, N. C. 28645 (758-2478)

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1882 Dudley Shoals Road, Granite Falls, N. C. 28630 (396-7300)
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Church Study Course Director: Rev. Wayne Caviness (FBC Whitnel)
1201 Connelly Springs Road, Lenoir, N. C. 28645 (754-3240)
Adult Director: J.D. Bolick (Dudley Shoals Church)
Route 1, Box 247, Granite Falls, N. C. 28630 (396-1829)
Youth Director: Ron Curfman (Dudley Shoals Church)
Route 13, Box 43 Charlyn Street, Hickory, N. C. 28601 (495-7352)
Children's Director: Mina Pritchard (FBC Whitnel)
Route 1, Box 561-D, Lenoir, N. C. 28645 (758-4969)
Preschool Director: Norma Hollar (Dudley Shoals Church)
687 Campground Road, Granite Falls, N. C. 28630 (396-2513)

EVANGELISM PROGRAM COUNCIL

Director: Rev. Steve Parker (Hartland Church)
3730 Hartland Road, Morganton, N. C. 28655 (437-5526)
Personal Evangelism Director: Rev. John Barnhardt (North Catawba Church)
Route 3, Box 282, Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (728-9253)
Mass Evangelism Director: Dr. Paul Childers (Concord Church)
74 Falls Avenue, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630 (396-1914)
Interfaith Witness Director:

FAMILY MINISTRY PROGRAM COUNCIL

Director: Rev. Michael Isaacs (FBC Hudson)
106 Peachtree Place, Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (728-4297)
Preschool Ministry Director: Beth Isaacs (FBC Hudson)
106 Peachtree Place, Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (728-0174)
Children's Ministry Director:
Youth Ministry Director: Barbara Fisher (Mount Zion Church)
P.O. Box 445, Hudson, N. C. 28638 (728-4744)
Single Adult Ministry Director: Sherry Austin, Secretary (FBC Hudson)
P.O. Box 351, Hudson, N.C. 28638 (728-9278)
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1201 Connelly Springs Road, S.W., Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (754-3240)
Student Ministry Director: Rev. Brooks Walker (North Catawba Church)
Route 2, Box 537-A1, Hudson, N.C. 28638 (728-9253)

MEDIA LIBRARY PROGRAM COUNCIL

Director: Bobbi Watson (Miller Hill Church)
112 Tut Hill Drive, Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (758-8661)
Media Education Director: Charlotte Smith (Mountain Grove Church)
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Secretary: Polly Bentley (Crest View Church)
 117 Creekside Drive, Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (754-5789)
 Associational Librarian: Judy Brittain (CBA Staff)
 546 Calico Road, Lenoir, N. C. 28645 (758-4081)

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Director: Joann Propst (FBC Rhodhiss)
 63 Duke Power Road, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630 (396-3450)
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Survey Director:

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 P.O. Drawer 620, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630 (396-1970)
 Home Missions Promotion & Projects Dir.: Mariene Alexander (Central Church)
 114 Dove Street, Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (728-6381)
 Foreign Missions Promotion & Projects Director:

Brotherhood Representative: Boyd Cloer (Friendship Church)
 239 Hudson Cahahs Mountain Road, Hudson, N.C. 28638 (728-4746)
 W.M.U. Representative: Joann Propst (FBC Rhodhiss)
 63 Duke Power Road, Granite Falls, N. C. 28630 (396-3450)
 Sunday School Representative: Rev. Paul Sizemore (New Life Church)
 P.O. Box 1026, Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (728-1473)

1995 Green Mountain Park Resort Coordination Teams

March / July:	J. W. Crouse
April / August:	J. B. and Joan Crouse
May / September:	Howard and Marline Barnes
June / October:	Lawrence Robertson

Mission Study Leaders

1994 Foreign Mission Study: Rev. Dale Fisher (Mount Zion Church)
 P.O. Box 1555, Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (758-4081)
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 P.O. Box 1555, Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (758-4081)

MUSIC MINISTRY PROGRAM COUNCIL

Director: Rev. Sherrill German (Yadkin Church)
 P.O. Box 254, Patterson, N. C. 28661 (754-6000)
 Adult Coordinator: Rev. Gilbert Blackburn (Lower Creek Church)
 633 Lower Creek Drive, N.E., Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (758-2315)
 Youth Coordinator: Rev. Phillip Duncan (Mount Zion Church)
 1787 Cahah's Mountain Road, Hudson, N.C. 28638 (396-1241)
 Associate Youth Coordinator: Rev. Brooks Walker (North Catawba Church)
 Route 2, Box 537-A1, Hudson, N.C. 28638 (728-9253)
 Children's Coordinator: Don Almond (FBC Hudson)
 Route 1, Box 221-E, Hudson, N.C. 28638 (728-4297)
 Associate Children's Coordinator: Steven Kelly (Union Grove Church)
 246 Union Grove Road, Lenoir, N. C. 28645 (728-2221)
 Instrumental Coordinator: Thomas Hinton (FBC Lenoir)
 304 Main Street, N.W., Lenoir, N. C. 28645 (758-8428)

Secretary: Steven Kelly (Union Grove Church)
 246 Union Grove Road, Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (728-2221)
 Music Fellowship Director: Ricky Bruner (Mountain Grove Church)
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PASTORAL MINISTRIES PROGRAM COUNCIL

Director: Rev. Tom Small (Buffalo Cove Church)
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 P.O. Box 621, Hudson, N.C. 28638 (728-7865)
 Vocational Guidance Director: Rev. Doug Jordan (Lower Creek Church)
 633 Lower Creek Drive, N.E., Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (758-2315)
 Church Administrative Services Director: Rev. Jim Hamby (Fellowship Church)
 468 Fir Street, C-44-05, Hudson, N.C. 28638 (728-2248)
 Ministers Ordination Director: Dr. Billy Rivers (FBC Hudson)
 109 Optimist Avenue, CB-59-2, Hudson, N.C. 28638 (728-4297)
 Chaplaincy Ministries Director: Rev. Dale Matheson (Indian Hills Church)
 P.O. Box 2580, Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (758-4036)

PRAYER PROGRAM COUNCIL

Director: Rev. Roger Parker (Baton Church)
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 Prayer Development Director: Anneal Ledbetter (FBC Lenoir)
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District Prayer Meetings Coordinators

District I: Rev. J. B. Crouse (Mountain View Church)
 8 Meandering Way, Granite Falls, N. C. 28630 (396-2545)
 District II: Rev. Gilbert Larew (Piney Grove Church)
 229 Piney Grove Circle, Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (758-5391)
 District III: Rev. Jim Robbins (Cedar Rock Church)
 945 Miller Creek Road, Lenoir, N. C. 28645 (758-5978)
 District IV: Rev. Louis Harlow, Jr. (College Avenue Church)
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 District V: Rev. John Barnhardt (North Catawba Church)
 Route 3, Box 282, Lenoir, N. C. 28645 (728-6629)
 District VI: Dr. Rick Crouse (Dry Ponds Church)
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Director: Shawn Alexander (Central Church)
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 Associate Director: Wayne Caviness (FBC Whitnel)
 1201 Connelly Springs Road, S.W., Lenoir, N. C. 28645 (754-3240)
 Associate Director: Mike Moore (Pooveys Grove Church)
 352 Calico Road, Lenoir, N. C. 28645 (758-4468)

SEMINARY EXTENSION PROGRAM COUNCIL

Director: Wayne Bumgardner (Center Grove Church)
 Route 4, Box 488-A, Hudson, N.C. 28638 (396-3287)
 Associate Director: Kathryn Cloer (Friendship Church)
 239 Hudson Cajah's Mountain Road, Hudson, N.C. 28638 (728-4746)

Associate Director: Stephen McCorkle (FBC Lenoir)
P.O. Box 751, Lenoir, N.C. 82645 (758-4335)

STEWARDSHIP PROGRAM COUNCIL

Director: Elsie Angley (Clark's Chapel Church)
104 Berry K Drive, Lenoir, N. C. 28645 (728-6260)
Stewardship Development Director: Lillian Young, Secretary (Friendship Church)
P.O. Box 312, Hudson, N.C. 28638 (728-6017)
Stewardship Promotion Director: Katherine Curtis (College Avenue Church)
P.O. Box 70, Lenoir, N. C. 28645 (754-9483)

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Associational Sunday School Improvement Support Team

Director: Rev. Phil Duncan (Mt. Zion Church)
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General Officer Director: Auray Lail (Mt. Zion Church)
P.O. Box 621, Hudson, N.C. 28638 (728-4373)
Outreach Director: Rev. Paul Sizemore (New Life Church)
P.O. Box 1026, Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (728-1473)
Adult Director: Rev. Louis Harlow, Jr. (College Avenue Church)
P.O. Box 592, Lenoir, N. C. 28645 (754-6482)
Youth Director: Steven Kelly (Union Grove Church)
246 Union Grove Road, Lenoir, N. C. 28645 (726-0991)
Younger Children's Director: Nancy Martin (Union Church)
Route 2, Box 330, Lenoir, N. C. 28645 (758-1345)
Older Children's Director:

Preschool Director: Donna Miller, Secretary (Mount Zion Church)
4428 Magnolia Lane, Hudson, N.C. 28638 (728-2667)
Special Ministries Director: Thomasine White (Oak Grove Church)
4950 Oak Grove Church Road, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630 (396-2655)

Associational Vacation Bible School Team

Director: Nancy Martin (Union Church)
Route 2, Box 330, Lenoir, N. C. 28645 (758-1345)
Middle Preschool Director:

Older Preschool Director: Donna Miller (Mount Zion Church)
4428 Magnolia Lane, Hudson, N. C. 28638 (728-2667)
Younger Children's Director:

Middle Children's Director: Alicia Raby (Friendship Church)
2011 Hampton Heights, Lenoir, N. C. 28645 (757-0922)
Middle Children's Director: Janie Cloer (Friendship Church)
Route 2, Box 384, Hudson, N.C. 28638 (728-
Older Children's Director:

Youth Director: Angie Derrick (Union Church)
Route 2, Box 206, Lenoir, N. C. 28645 (757-0082)
Adult Director: Rev. Ken Mashburn (Setzer Creek Church)
Route 10, Box 752, Lenoir, N. C. 28645 (758-4856)
Backyard Bible Club:

Special Education:

General Officers: Mary Bentley (Crest View Church)
 Route 8, Box 382, Lenoir, N. C. 28645 (758-4076)
 Music Director:

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION PROGRAM COUNCIL

Director: Alma Helton (Dudley Shoals Church)
 6155 Icard Dam Road, Hickory, N.C. 28601 (396-2023)
 Associate Director: Mary Suddreth (Clover Church)
 5229 Lacy Road, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630 (396-5819)
 Secretary: Delores Hawkins (Lakeview Church)
 518 Scroggs Street, N.W., Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (754-7710)
 Treasurer: Mary Suddreth (Clover Church)
 5229 Lacy Road, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630 (396-5819)
 Mission Action/Personal Witnessing Director: Joann Propst (FBC Rhodhiss)
 63 Duke Power Road, Granite Falls, N. C. 28630 (396-3450)
 Enlistment/Enlargement Director: Vickie Parker (Baton Church)
 Route 2, Box 514-C, Hudson, N.C. 28638 (726-8960)
 Baptist Woman's Director: Mary Lindsay (FBC Hudson)
 Route 2, Box 384-E, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630 (728-2674)
 Associate Baptist Woman's Director: Monteen German (Yadkin Church)
 P.O. Box 254, Patterson, N.C. 28661 (754-2653)
 Baptist Young Woman's Director: Vicki Overcash (Temple Hill Church)
 129 Woodlane Avenue, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630 (396-6852)
 Associate Baptist Young Woman's Director: Kim Davis (Mt. Zion Church)
 1621 Lafayette Ave., Hudson, N.C. 28638 (H-728-2021) (W-396-3303)
 Acteens Director: Marlene Alexander (Central Church)
 114 Dove Street, Lenoir, N. C. 28645 (728-6381)
 Associate Acteens Director: Dawn Cole (Clover Church)
 41 Forest Avenue, Granite Falls, N. C. 28630 (396-1117)
 Girls In Action Director: Carole Church (Clover Church)
 39 Forest Avenue, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630 (396-2426)
 Associate Girls In Action Director: Mildred Roberts (FBC Whitnel)
 1502 Walt Arney Road, S.W., Lenoir, N. C. 28645 (754-3593)
 Mission Friends Director: Gwyn Warren (Hartland Church)
 Route 7, Box 253-G, Morganton, N.C. 28630 (758-5647)
 Associate Mission Friends Director:

Area Directors

Area One Director: Blanche Reid (Union Church)
 Route 2, Box 316, Lenoir, N. C. 28645 (754-4879)
 Area Two Director: Diane Moretz (Setzer Creek Church)
 Route 8, Box 385-A, Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (758-5819)
 Area Three Director: Kathryn Cloer (Friendship Church)
 239 Hudson Cahaj's Mountain Road, Hudson, N.C. 28638 (728-4746)
 Area Four Director: Willie Mae Hege (Yadkin Church)
 Route 10, Box 698, Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (758-4275)
 Area Five Director: Lillian Turnmire (Gethsemane Church)
 1415 Meadowlane Drive, N.W., Lenoir, N. C. 28645 (758-1937)
 Area Six Director: Alma Helton (Dudley Shoals Church)
 1655 Icard Dam Road, Hickory, N. C. 28601 (396-2023)
 Area Seven Director: Sue Smith (Miller Hill Church)
 1214 Overlook Drive, Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (754-4197)
 Area Eight Director: Charlene Watson (Center Grove Church)
 Route 4, Box 726, Hudson, N. C. 28638 (296-1471)

Pianist: Vickie Parker (Baton Church)

Route 2, Box 514-C, Hudson, N.C. 28638 (726-8960)

Song Leader: Marlene Alexander (Central Church)

114 Dove Street, Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (728-6381)

W.M.U. Leadership Committee

Barbara Fisher (Mount Zion Church) 1 year

P.O. Box 445, Hudson, N.C. 28638 (728-4744)

Shirley Sims (Dudley Shoals Church) 2 years

5756 Charlie Little Road, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630 (396-3265)

Elaine Hefner (FBC Rhodhiss) 3 years

P.O. Box 29, Rhodhiss, N. C. 28667 (396-9704)

Ruth Keller Scholarship Committee

Brenda Bartles (Lower Creek Church) 1 year

902 East Blvd., Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (754-4457)

Jan Lail (Flemings Chapel Church) 2 years

125 Spencer Heights, Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (758-9516)

Bobbi Watson (Miller Hill Church) 3 years

112 Tut Hill Drive, Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (758-8661)

PASTORAL MINISTRIES COUNCIL REPORT

Rev. Tom Small, Director
Buffalo Cove Baptist Church

ITS PURPOSE: Your Pastoral Ministries Council exist to assist all churches of our association in the development of pastoral ministries and church administrative services. When requested, the council is also available to assist churches in the ordination of ministers. The council can best serve you when your specific needs are called to the attention of the council. Share your needs with us and let us work with you.

ITS PROGRAM: The council has sponsored the following training events during the past associational year.

Deacons' Multi-Conference Training Seminars

These seminars were conducted at Mount Zion Baptist Church on April 14, 1994. The following four seminars were offered with scheduling which made it possible for each person attending to choose and participate in any two.

<u>Conference</u>	<u>Leader</u>
Conflict with Children	Donna Lail
Conflict in Marriage	Robert Stump
Dealing with the Breaved	Robert Livingston
Hospital Visitation	Glenn Walker

These sessions were well attended with 15 churches represented and 49 participants. Many expressed appreciation for these seminars and their relevance.

Interviewed Candidate for Ordination

The council met with Matt Clayton and his pastor, Rev. Keith Shorter, on December 16, 1993. Dr. Billy Rivers chaired the meeting as Matt shared his conversion experience and call to preach. This was followed by questions regarding basic doctrine and practical aspects of ministry. There was also a time of sharing

advice regarding ministerial ethics and constant care in moral matters. The council was in complete agreement in its recommendation to Crest View Baptist Church that they proceed with plans for the ordination of Brother Matt Clayton.

Ministry at the Lenoir Living Center

The Pastoral Ministries Council is also responsible for providing worship services on the first Sunday of each month at the Lenoir Living Center. Rev. Tony Johnson coordinates and leads these services.

The Pastoral Ministries Council is comprised of the following: Rev. Jim Hamby, Rev. Doug Jordan, Mr. Auray Lail, Rev. Dale Matheson, Dr. Billy River and Rev. Tom Small.

PERSONNEL COMMITTEE REPORT

**Neil Annas, Chairman
Dry Ponds Baptist Church**

The committee met on June 2, 1994 at the Baptist Center. The purpose of the meeting was to review the committee's job description, to discuss the Associate Director of Missions position, to begin work on the personnel budget request for 1994-95, and to consider personnel policies.

On June 23, the committee met again at the Baptist Center to finalize the personnel budget. In addition, the committee spent a considerable amount of time looking at the possibility of additional staff for the association.

The next meeting was held on August 25, 1994 at the Granite Insurance Agency in Granite Falls. The purpose of this meeting was to continue work on proposed personnel policies.

A joint meeting of the Communications, Finance and Personnel Committees was held on August 29, 1994. The purpose of the meeting was to brainstorm ideas on how to better communicate the work of the association to member churches and to the community. Several helpful ideas were discussed. The Communications Committee was asked to follow through with the ideas.

The committee met two additional times on September 15 and 27, 1994. These meetings were held at the Granite Insurance Agency. The purpose of the meetings was to continue discussion of proposed personnel policies.

PRAYER COUNCIL REPORT

**Dolores Leftwich, Director
Lower Creek Baptist Church**

District Prayer Meetings were sponsored by the Prayer Council with Conways Chapel, Bethany, Blairs Fork, Flemings Chapel, Blue Ridge, Concord, John's River, Crest View, Cedar Rock, Grandview Park, Clark's Chapel and Dry Ponds Baptist Churches during the year. These were held at three o'clock on the first Sunday afternoon of each month. The prayer meetings in January and April were held on the second Sunday of the month, because of the New Year's Day weekend in January and Easter in April.

On May 5, 1994, the council sponsored a "National Day of Prayer in Lenoir" service from 12:00-12:30 P.M. It was held between First Union National Bank and

the City Hall on Main Street. Robert Livingston was the speaker and Brooks Walker provided music. Dale Fisher gave welcome and led the people in a time of prayer. It was estimated that 250 people were in attendance for this event.

The council was disappointed to announce that the Associational Prayer Conference scheduled for August 26-27, 1994 had to be canceled. Dr. Henry Blackaby, who had been scheduled for a long time to lead the conference, had to cancel because of expanded work responsibilities with the Home Mission Board, Foreign Mission Board and the Sunday School Board.

PROPERTIES COMMITTEE REPORT

**R. Dale Fisher, Acting Chairman
Mount Zion Baptist Church**

The Properties Committee met only once during the year on September 13, 1994. During the meeting, reports were given on the items carried out since the last meeting which was held on September 13, 1993. It was reported that the Risograph Duplicator, a laminator, plus a computer and monitor had been added, as approved, to the association's office equipment. In addition, no trespassing signs and a handicap parking place with an appropriate sign had been added to the property. The parking lot had been striped and a 15 passenger van had been purchased. The Drop Box and the rest rooms had been repaired. Two beautiful curio cabinets had been given to the association for use in the Conference Room.

The committee dealt with some unfinished business. Approval was given to proceed with the purchase of a television for the Conference Room. In addition, approval was given to purchase or have a cabinet built to hold the new television and VCR (which had been purchased earlier). The committee agreed to have some bookshelves built in the Director of Missions closet. The purchase of a collator for the mailing room was approved. It was agreed that a cleanup day would be held at Caldwell Cottage.

RECREATION COUCIL REPORT

**Shawn Alexander, Director
Central Baptist Church**

The Recreation Council sponsored a "Recreation Carousel" on Thursday, May 26, 1994. Five conferences were provided for the participants: Senior Adult Activities led by Wayne Caviness, Youth and Children's Activities fed by Mike Isaacs, Puppets led by Revonda Miller, Clowns led by Marlene and Shawn Alexander and Sports Activities led by Mike Moore.

RETIRED MINISTERS' FELLOWSHIIP GROUP REPORT

**Dale Fisher, Acting Chairman
Mount Zion Baptist Church**

Quarterly fellowship luncheons were planned for the Retired Ministers' Fellowship Group on October 20, 1993 at Shoney's of Lenoir, on January 19, 1994 at the Baptist Center, on April 20, 1994 at Western Steer in Hudson and on July 20, 1994 at Hudson's Western Steer. These times of fellowship are designed to provide fellowship, encouragement, dialogue and mutual care for the retired ministers and their spouses.

Rev. A.J. Singley has agreed to be the chairman for the Retired Ministers' Planning Committee for 1994-95. The committee has planned fellowships for October 19, 1994, January 18, April 19, and July 19, 1995. The other committee members are Reverends J.W. Crouse and J.W. Myers.

SECRETARIES FELLOWSHIP GROUP REPORT

Margaret Benfield, Chairman
First Baptist Church of Hudson

On Wednesday, April 27, 1994, a Church Secretaries Fellowship Luncheon was provided at the Caldwell Baptist Center for all full-time, part-time and volunteer secretaries. In was conducted as a part of "Secretaries Week". A total of twenty persons attended the special event.

SEMINARY EXTENSION PROGRAM REPORT

Wayne Bumgarner, Director
Center Grove Baptist Church

Four courses were planned by the Seminary Extension Council this year. "Mark" was taught by Rev. Michael Isaacs at the First Baptist Church of Hudson from February 22 - May 3, 1994 and "Old Testament Survey, Part I" is currently being taught, August 3 - November 8, 1994, by Rev. Dan Redding at Center Grove Baptist Church.

Two of the four courses had to be canceled due poor registration. These were "Planning Church Work" and "Survey of Baptist Missions".

STEWARDSHIP COUNCIL REPORT

Mrs. Elsie Angley, Director
Clark's Chapel Baptist Church

The Stewardship Council assists churches in the development of individual and corporate stewardship endeavors.

A meeting of the council was held on May 24, 1994. At the meeting, the council set goals and made plans for future conferences which they would sponsor.

On September 8, 1994 the Stewardship Council sponsored a conference on "How To Get Out of Debt". The conference was held at the Lakeview Baptist Church. Talmadge Williams of the Baptist State Convention Stewardship Division led the conference. There were six churches represented at the conference.

Plans have been made for an Associational Stewardship Conference to be held on March 21, 1995. This conference will begin at 7:00 p.m. and will be held at the Crest View Baptist Church.

STRATEGY COMMITTEE REPORT

Fred King, Chairman
Nelson's Chapel Baptist Church

The Strategy Committee met on January 25, 1994 to review progress being made on the association's Five Year Plan (October 1992 - September 1997), which was

adopted by the Messengers on October 23, 1992. In addition, plans were made for the 1994 Listening Sessions to be held on Sunday, February 20 at the Mulvale Baptist Church, on Thursday, February 24 at the Lower Creek Baptist Church and on Monday, February 28, 1994 at the Poovey's Chapel Baptist Church.

On March 7, 1994, the committee met to review the information received from the Listening Sessions. The information, along with other suggestions, were sent to the Associational Council for their consideration and implementation through the various programs.

The final meeting of the committee for the year was held on July 14, 1994. At this meeting, the committee dealt with some suggested changes to the association's bylaws.

STRATEGY COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATIONS

The following amendments were presented to the Messengers as information during their Summer Quarterly Meeting on July 28, 1994. The amendments have gone through the proper procedure for presentation, discussion and vote during the Fall Quarterly/110th Annual Meeting.

Article VII: Organization and Leadership

Section 1.

D. ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES

2. Committees:

- c. EXTERNAL RELATIONS COMMITTEE (Pages 171-172, 1993 Annual Minutes)

(Delete from second paragraph) "the General Board of the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina (two representatives)",

(Add a third paragraph) The current representatives from the Caldwell Association on the General Board of the North Carolina Baptist State Convention serve on this committee as ex-officio members. These representatives are selected and elected by the convention.

(Purpose: The current reading implies that the association selects and elects these representatives, which is not true.)

E. MISSION PERFORMANCE PROGRAMS (Pages 180ff, 1993 Annual Minutes)

Change "Mission Performance Programs" to "Church Assistance Programs" in all places mentioned.

(Purpose: The change in title better describes the function of these programs.)

Article VIII: Printed Material

Section 6. (Page 104, 1993 Annual Minutes)

Change "Uniform Church Letter" to "Annual Church Profile".

(Purpose: The Baptist Sunday School Board has made this change. The Uniform Church Letter no longer exists.)

**STATISTICAL COMPARISON
CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, INC.
1991-1994**

	1991	1992	1993	1994
Churches	71	72	72	74
Church Members	26,775	26,706	26,402	26,218
Baptisms	829	662	536	525
Additions by Letter	949	709	621	795
Total additions	1,778	1,371	1,157	1,320
Sunday School Enrol.	15,099	16,126	14,927	15,467
S.S. Average Attend.	7,546	7,574	7,214	7,115
VBS Enrollment	7,816	7,425	6,413	6,891
D.T. Enrollment	4,819	4,243	3,947	3,936
D.T. Average Attend.	1,921	1,995	1,583	1,616
WMU Enrollment	3,089	3,072	2,850	2,942
Brotherhood Enrollment	1,756	1,995	1,430	1,581
Music Ministry Enrol.	3,826	4,124	3,980	4,106
Music Min. Avg. Att.	2,395	2,346	2,222	N/A
Lottie Moon Offering	236,977	240,983	228,390	-
Annie Armstrong Off.	83,217	94,307	95,000	90,506
NC Missions Off.	26,389	27,667	25,175	27,246
Coop. Prg. Gifts	788,959	766,291	713,634	759,150
Total Mission Gifts	1,622,477	1,699,563	1,628,561	1,860,072
Undesignated Receipts	7,426,476	7,409,910	7,902,065	8,272,109
Total Church Receipts	9,274,198	9,277,696	9,529,149	10,416,978

This information is from 68 of our 74 churches. In reality, many of the figures are higher. The following six churches did not return their Annual Church Profile: Cajah's Mountain, Globe, Green Rock, Hibriten, Johns River, and Pisgah.

SUNDAY SCHOOL COUNCIL REPORT**Rev. Phillip Duncan, Director****Mt. Zion Baptist Church**

The 1993-94 Associational Sunday School has been one of transition. We began the year without having a Sunday School Council in place. However, at the Spring Quarterly meeting the full council was approved for the balance of the current year plus the 1994-95 associational year.

Events held this past year were the Sunday School "Stay on Track" conference held at Meadowbrook on October 12, 1993. This was a follow-up to the very successful "Get on Track" Associational Sunday School Attendance Campaign held earlier. A Pastor/Sunday School Director's Workshop was held at Yadkin Church on May 31, 1994. This workshop was led by Phil Duncan and dealt with some of the changes coming up in Sunday School work, including projected changes for some of the literature. There were 10 participants from six churches present for this workshop.

VBS Clinics for the year included the Early Bird Clinic on February 3, 1994 led by Phil Duncan and Dale Fisher at Harrisburg Church; Clinic #1 at Oak Grove Church on April 18; Clinic #2 at Setzer Creek Church on April 26; and Clinic #3 at Clark's Chapel Church on May 12. These three clinics were directed by Nancy Martin, VBS Director and the VBS Team. Total attendance at all the clinics was 214 representing 28 of our churches.

The council assisted Clark's Chapel with Sunday School leadership training on September 13, 1994 by providing age graded leaders for a Sunday School workshop at that church.

The Sunday School Council requests your prayers for two associational events in the summer of 1995. First will be Breakthrough — Net 2, a Sunday School Outreach Conference on Thursday, June 1 at First Baptist Church of Hudson. Second will be a "Carry the Light" Sunday School Rally held on Tuesday, July 11 at College Avenue Church.

TREASURER'S REPORT**Jack Spainhour, Treasurer****Caldwell Baptist Association, Inc.****October 1, 1993 - September 30, 1994**

Balance October 1, 1993		\$ 36,382.96
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		1993/94	10/1/93 -
I. Receipts:		<u>BUDGET</u>	<u>9/30/94</u>

A. Undesignated Receipts	174,246.00	176,339.37
B. Designated Receipts				
1. Annual Minutes	.....	1,500.00	.....	1,630.00
2. Baptist State Convention	.....	3,500.00	.....	2,750.90
3. Caldwell Cottage	.....	.....	.....	80.00
4. Miscellaneous	.....	2,000.00	.....	2,313.90
5. Designated Funds	<u>00</u>	<u>3,509.42</u>
(See breakdown at end of report)				

Total Receipts	181,246.00	<u>186,623.59</u>
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Total Receipts and Beginning Balance			\$223,006.55
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II. DISBURSEMENTS:

A. Administrative Services

1. Annual Minutes	2,900.00	3,357.05
2. Baptist Center Media Library		
a. Equipment	350.00	348.74
b. Materials	950.00	963.01
3. Committees		
a. Communications	500.00	500.00
b. Miscellaneous Expense	135.00	24.54
c. Properties		
1. Baptist Center		
a. Custodian	2,880.00	2,880.00
b. Main/Bldg. Improvements	1,500.00	1,527.22
c. Office Equipment	2,500.00	2,500.00
d. Utilities & Insurance	12,000.00	9,805.38
2. Caldwell Cottage		
a. Caretaker	.00	.00
b. Main/Bldg. Improvements	500.00	50.00
c. Utilities & Insurance	1,200.00	802.21
3. Disaster Relief Unit	300.00	300.00
4. Van	6,000.00	2,788.96
5. Van Deposit	.00	5,000.00
4. Contingency (Memorials)	250.00	186.79
5. Office Expense	17,000.00	16,928.89
6. Treasurer	800.00	800.00

Total Administrative Services 49,765.00 48,762.79

B. Coordinating

1. Administrative Services Council	150.00	71.66
2. Associational Council	900.00	824.36
3. Fellowship Council	100.00	.00

Total Coordinating 1,150.00 896.02

C. Fellowship Groups

1. Bivocational Ministers	150.00	.00
2. Church Secretaries	225.00	241.68
3. Minister's Conference	500.00	327.39
4. Minister's & Wives Qly. Fell.	600.00	657.69
5. Minister's Wives	200.00	.00
6. Music Leaders	100.00	.00
7. Retired Ministers	150.00	.00
8. Youth Leaders	50.00	.00

Total Fellowship Groups 1,975.00 1,226.76

D. Governing (Messengers)

1. Annual Meeting Meal	900.00	728.75
2. Miscellaneous & Speakers	1,400.00	1,104.32

Total Governing 2,300.00 1,833.07

E. Mission Performance Programs

1. Brotherhood Council	1,700.00	1,484.22
2. Christian Life Council	1,000.00	.00
3. Discipleship Training Council	800.00	879.41
4. Evangelism Council	900.00	744.37
5. Family Ministry Council	1,850.00	2,187.49
6. Media Library Council	100.00	85.72
7. Missions Development Council	1,100.00	456.41
8. Music Ministry Council	1,300.00	1,267.12
9. Pastoral Ministries Council	750.00	564.22
10. Prayer Council	800.00	75.39
11. Recreation Council	400.00	.00
12. Seminary Extension Council	750.00	1,371.42

13. Stewardship Council	150.00	13.53
14. Sunday School Council	800.00	594.28
15. W.M.U. Council	<u>2,875.00</u>	<u>2,875.00</u>

Total Mission Performance Programs 15,275.00 12,598.58

F. Personnel

1. Salaries

a. Director of Missions	26,899.00	26,899.08
b. Assoc. Director of Missions	.00	.00
c. Administrative Assistant	20,742.00	20,741.76
d. Financial Secretary	10,400.00	10,400.00

2. Benefits

a. Housing and Utilities		
1. Director of Missions	13,757.00	13,757.12
2. Assoc. Dir. of Missions	.00	.00
b. Insurance		
1. Director of Missions	6,000.00	5,647.11
2. Administrative Asst.	6,800.00	7,319.76
3. Financial Secretary	1,200.00	1,200.00
c. Retirement		
1. Director of Missions	6,098.00	6,097.92
2. Administrative Asst.	3,111.00	3,111.00

3. Christmas Gifts

a. Director of Missions	782.00	782.00
b. Assoc. Director of Missions	.00	.00
c. Administrative Assistant	399.00	399.00
d. Financial Secretary	200.00	200.00

4. Ministry Expense

a. Automobile		
1. Director of Missions	4,000.00	3,072.30
2. Assoc. Dir. of Missions	.00	.00
3. Administrative Asst.	250.00	250.12
4. Financial Secretary	250.00	250.12
b. Hospitality - Materials		
1. Director of Missions	600.00	506.97
2. Assoc. Dir. of Missions	.00	.00
c. Meetings - Mission Trips		
1. Director of Missions	1,800.00	2,277.00
2. Assoc. Dir. of Missions	.00	.00
3. Administrative Asst.	250.00	112.89
4. Financial Secretary	250.00	124.69

5. Taxes

a. FICA		
1. Director of Missions	3,110.00	3,110.12
2. Assoc. Dir. of Missions	.00	.00
3. Administrative Asst.	1,587.00	1,646.58
4. Financial Secretary	796.00	826.36

Total Personnel 109,281.00 108,731.90

G. Special Missions

1. Minister's Support	1,500.00	.00
2. World Missions Conference	.00	.00

Total Special Missions 1,500.0000

Total Disbursements 181,246.00 174,049.12

Balance September 30, 1994 \$ 48,957.43

DESIGNATED FUNDS

Name	Beg. Bal. 10/1/93	Receipts 10/1/93- 9/30/94	Disbur. 10/1/93- 9/30/94	Balance 9/30/94
Assoc. Basketball	.00	8,594.43	7,313.55	1,280.88
Disaster Relief Unit	894.49	.00	10.00	884.49
Disaster Relief Vol.	336.12	1,000.00	.00	1,336.12
Georgia Flood Relf.	.00	884.94	884.94	.00
Literacy Prg.	.00	150.00	107.90	42.10
Minister's Golf	7.78	122.00	129.78	.00
'94 NY Miss. Trip	.00	13,099.00	12,019.78	1,079.22
Ret. Home Proj.	.00	125.00	.00	125.00
TOTALS	1,238.39	23,935.37	20,425.95	4,747.81

ANALYSIS OF RECEIPTS

October 1, 1993 - September 30, 1994

Baton	\$ 3,507.19	Kings Creek	3,600.00
Bethany	.00	Lakeview	2,619.39
Blairs Fork	.00	Lenoir First	7,425.00
Blue Ridge	900.00	Liberty	.00
Buffalo Cove	740.28	Livingston Memorial	647.65
Cajahs Mtn.	600.00	Lower Creek	7,599.96
Calvary	800.00	Meadowbrook	3,303.12
Cedar Rock	2,152.00	Miller Hill	3,339.79
Center Grove	1,826.00	Mountain Grove	4,564.23
Central	5,350.43	Mountain View	300.00
Clark's Chapel	5,283.74	Mt. Carmel	636.17
Clearview	.00	Mt. Zion	13,120.09
Clover	3,350.11	Mulberry	300.00
College Ave.	4,200.00	Mulvale	1,744.66
Concord	9,217.78	Nelson's Chapel	480.00
Conway's Chapel	.00	New Life	1,463.37
Crest View	2,982.00	North Catawba	1,395.04
Dry Ponds	5,972.53	Oak Grove	1,200.00
Dudley Shoals	17,318.61	Open Door	250.00
Edgemont	.00	Piney Grove	600.00
Fellowship	3,300.00	Pisgah	.00
Flemings Chapel	2,599.98	Poovey's Chapel	870.00
Friendship	3,500.81	Poovey's Grove	655.38
Gethsemane	377.46	Providence	250.00
Globe	.00	Rhodhiss First	3,135.83
Grandin	100.00	Rocky Springs	1,188.58
Grandview Park	165.00	Rufus	.00
Granite Falls First	1,833.26	Setzer Creek	2,775.00
Green Rock	.00	Sunrise	1,200.00
Green Valley	180.00	Temple Hill	3,381.51
Harris Chapel	806.90	Union	4,603.00
Harrisburg	999.99	Union Grove	3,400.00
Hartland	5,268.00	West Lenoir	.00
Hibriten	.00	Whitnel First	4,748.80
Hudson First	8,000.08	Yadkin	2,476.65
Indian Hills	500.00	Yadkin Valley	734.00
John's River	.00	Zacks Fork	500.00

TOTAL UNDESIGNATED RECEIPTS: \$ 176,339.37

TOTAL DESIGNATED RECEIPTS: 6,774.80

TOTAL 1993-94 RECEIPTS: \$ 183,114.17

WMU 81ST ANNUAL MEETING
Clover Baptist Church — 7:00 P.M.

Theme: "Serve in Christ's Name" (Col. 3-17NKJV)

Caldwell Baptist WMU met at Clover Baptist Church to observe our 81st Annual Meeting. This meeting was dedicated in loving memory of our Beloved Stella Austin, who served Christ so faithfully for 36 years in Nigeria. Stella was a special friend of WMU — she will be missed by all of us.

Our meeting opened with a beautiful flag parade. Many ladies dressed in National costumes. The Nigerian flag was carried by Stella Austin's niece. Sue Bumgarner from Mount Carmel carried the Jordan flag in honor of Trudy and Roger Wall. Trudy's home church is Mount Carmel.

Susie Hester, first term missionary to Spain, was the guest speaker. She showed how to talk with her fan — the way her people in Spain do. She was such a delight as she spoke to us.

This was a very special time for all of us as we looked back in loving memory of Stella Austin's long years of service. And we pledged ourselves anew to new young missionaries like Susie Hester to continue to support them with our money and prayers.

Time and Place Committee:

1995 — 82nd Annual WMU Meeting, Setzer Creek Baptist Church,
April 3, 1995 — 7:00 P.M.

Resolutions Committee — Delores Hawkins, reporter

1993-94 RESOLUTIONS

The Resolutions Committee of 1993-94 gives thanks to our Lord for the freedom to "Serve in Christ's Name." To Caldwell Baptist Association we wish to present the following resolutions:

To Clover Baptist Church and their pastor Rev. Bill McNeill, for the privilege of meeting in these beautiful facilities for our 81st Annual WMU meeting.

To Mary Suddreth and all the WMU members here who have assisted in preparing this church for our meeting and for praying for its' success.

To all of those who lead and delight us with their musical talents: Marlene Alexander, who directs our music; Vicki Parker who plays our accompaniment; and for the special music given from the heart to us by Karla Lowman.

To all who participate on the program for this important gathering. We "thank you" for your part in making this one of the best meetings ever.

To all Committee Members who have served so well and loyally in 1993-94. Your hard work, endurance and perservance are sincerely appreciated.

To Alma Helton, our Associational WMU Director and Mary Suddreth our Assistant Director, as they serve hand-in-hand with the Lord to provide us with Christian leadership. We do appreciate the time, energy and talents which they give to our Association and to each of us as individuals.

To all officers and leaders who we elect today as they give themselves to service to our Lord, our Association and to each person and church represented here. Let's keep them in our prayers and assist where we are needed to grow a stronger WMU in a turbulent, needy world.

To Dale Fisher, our Director of Missions, and his great staff who assist in so many ways in fulfilling the call to serve in Christ's name together. We thank you for the hard work and dedication necessary in this service.

To each person who has taken time from their daily schedule to participate in this meeting; who will be encouraged by these proceedings and will go out energized to encourage others.

To Susie Hester, special guest speaker, who is our missionary to Spain. We appreciate your love for and deep commitment to the Lord. We thank you for your service and for the testimony you give to us through your words and actions.

We lovingly remember and dedicate this meeting to a special lady, Miss Stella Austin. The many years of service she gave to the Lord as a Christian and as a missionary to Nigeria are reminders to us to give our best to the Lord. We encourage each of you to remember and hold onto your own special memory of Stella and to follow her example by doing what our Lord calls you to do.

Our commitment and our prayer is to put action into our love for the Lord as we strive with renewed energy to "Serve in Christ's Name" daily!

WMU Leadership Committee — Sue Smith, Chairperson, Barbara Fisher and Shirley Sims. A complete list of 1994-95 WMU leadership can be found under the Nominating Committee report.

Dale Fisher led in a prayer of dedication.

Special music was by Karla Lowman of the Kings Creek Church. She sang a beautiful medley of special songs.

Marlene Alexander led the musical benediction. The group sang "Kum Ba Yah".

WMU COUNCIL REPORT **Mrs. Alma Helton, Director** **Dudley Shoals Baptist Church**

~ Serve in Christ's Name ~

"And what ever you do in word or deed, do all in the name of our Lord Jesus — giving thanks to God the Father through Him. (Col. 3:17 NKJV)

October — In order to serve Christ better the WMU Council led in a leadership conference for all ages in our churches.

October 18, 1993 — Acteens met for a time of fun and fellowship. Shawn Hodges, missionary to Israel, told about her work there. Baton Baptist Church was host for this event. Mrs. Linda Reid, Acteen Director led the program.

November 1, 1993 — Baptist Women and Baptist Young Women attended a World Day of Prayer service at the First Baptist Church of Lenoir. Women around the

world gather for prayer on the first Monday of November each year. Mary Lindsay and Vickie Overcash were in charge of the program.

November 12-13, 1993 — A total of 157 women registered for a Retreat at Ridgecrest. Music, games and food were enjoyed by everyone. Ruby Fulbright, former missionary to Zambia, was the special guest. She led in the study of "In Christ Name".

December 3, 1993 — Many of our Acteens went to Ridgecrest for a "Christmas Celebration". Alma Helton, WMU Director, led in conferences for acteens "In Your Own Backyard".

February 15, 1994 — Mary Lindsay and Vickie Overcash led us in a Prayer Retreat at Poovey's Chapel Baptist Church. Alma Helton was the guest speaker.

March 21, 1994 — The GA Rally was held at the First Baptist Church of Granite Falls. Home missionary, Jean White, was the guest speaker. A picnic was enjoyed by everyone.

April 8-10, 1994 — The State WMU Annual Meeting was held at Ridgecrest. Many Caldwell WMU ladies attended this meeting. Alma Helton led conferences for Acteens.

April 11, 1994 — The Associational WMU Annual Meeting was held at the Clover Baptist Church.

April 18, 1994 — Temple Hill Baptist Church was the host church for Acteens, who came to hear Mary Small speak. Mary is our very own missionary, who served many years in Africa with her husband Tom Small.

April 19, 1994 — The WMU Council had a manual study for Mission Friends, GAs, Acteens, Baptist Young Women and Baptist Women. Mary Suddreth also taught the "New Mission Action Book".

April 23, 1994 — GAs and leaders had a wonderful Day Camp at Center Grove. Shawn Hodges and her children were guests. Her son played a national music instrument and her daughter did a national dance. Shawn spoke of her work in Israel. Games, music and a picnic made it truly a GA Day. There were 198 in attendance.

May 2, 1994 — The Baptist Young Women at Hartland planned a wonderful program and banquet for all Caldwell Baptist Young Women. Teresa Tomlin, missionary to Germany, spoke about her work in a town in Eastern Germany. Her husband and daughter were guests also.

May 20-21, 1994 — Carole Church and Mildred Roberts led the Mother/Daughter Overnight Retreat at Ridgecrest. Diane Bailey from Chili did a super job as guest speaker.

June 21-24, 1994 — Several Acteen groups from Caldwell attended the NAC (National Acteen Convention) in Atlanta, Georgia. This meeting is held every five years. More than 12,000 girls from all over the United States came to Atlanta.

The WMU Council met each quarter for planning meetings. Council members also attended leadership conferences led by the state WMU.

The Ruth Keller Craig Scholarship Committee gave five scholarships this year. Each in the amount of \$500.00.

WMU FINANCIAL REPORT October 1, 1993 - September 30, 1994

Balance brought forward October 1, 1993 \$ 1,385.87

Receipts:

Caldwell Baptist Association \$ 2,875.00
 WMU General Fund 376.25
 Woman's Prison Ministry 39.00
 BW/BYW World Day of Prayer 101.00
 BYW 335.25
 GA 1,901.81
 Transfer from Scholarship Fund 2,500.00

TOTAL RECEIPTS 8,128.31

GRAND TOTAL \$ 9,514.18

Expenses:

Woman's Prison Ministry \$ 39.00
 BW/BYW World Day of Prayer 101.00
 Stella Austin Memorial 100.00
 WMU Retreats, Materials/Sup. 1,889.76
 WMU Wkshp. Exp. (includes travel) 569.80
 BW 15.00
 BYW 478.89
 Acteens 162.70
 GA 2,064.24
 Mission Friends 30.55
 Ruth Keller Craig Schlshp. 2,500.00

TOTAL EXPENSES 7,950.94

BALANCE ON HAND SEPTEMBER 30, 1994 \$ 1,563.24

RUTH KELLER CRAIG SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Balance brought forward October 1, 1993 \$ 2,889.61

Interest applied \$ 51.26
 Annual WMU Mtg. Receipts 166.75

Total Deposits 218.01

GRAND TOTAL \$ 3,107.62

Scholarships Granted: (\$500.00 each to Jerry Bentley,
 Kevin Knight, Brandon Waters, Scott Pankey, Harold Joplin) -2,500.00

Balance on hand September 30, 1994 \$ 607.62

YOUTH LEADERS FELLOWSHIP GROUP REPORT Associational Staff

Fellowship meetings were scheduled at 8:30 a.m. on the second Tuesday of each month during the 1993-94 Associational Year at the Holiday Inn of Lenoir. Toward the end of the year, these were canceled due to the closing of the Holiday Inn's restaurant.

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION of the CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, INC.

A copy of this document can be found in the 1991 Annual Minutes on pages 99-101.

ASSOCIATIONAL PERSONNEL

(Paid Employees)

Professional Staff

Director of Missions: Rev. R. Dale Fisher (Mt. Zion Church)
P.O. Box 1555, Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (758-4081)

Administrative Staff

Administrative Assistant: Ann L. Hatton (Kings Creek Church)
P.O. Box 1555, Lenoir, N. C. 28645 (758-4081)

Financial Secretary: Judy F. Brittain (Littlejohn United Methodist Church)
P.O. Box 1555, Lenoir, N. C. 28645 (758-4081)

BAPTIST INSTITUTION IN ASSOCIATION

Baptist Children's Homes of North Carolina

Lenoir Area Family Services Director: Mrs. Donna Lail
Route 2, Box 380, Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (757-0700)

Marguerite Noel Home for Girls

Route 2, Box 380, Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (757-0700)

Care House

450 Raylorsville Road, S.E., Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (754-7904)

CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, INC. CHURCH LEADERSHIP

Associate Pastors/Ministers of Education

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Granite Falls, NC 28630

Granite Falls First

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Hudson, NC 28638

Crest View

Terry Barnes
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Lenoir, NC 28645

Hudson First

Michael Isaacs
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Lenoir, NC 28645

Mountain Grove
Willard Jenkins
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Hudson, NC 28638

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Lenoir, NC 28645

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Lenoir, NC 28645

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Ronnie Childress
Granite Falls, NC 28630

Yadkin
Janice Coonse
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Nellie Mullinax
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Faye Craig
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Lenoir, NC 28645

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Vickie Parker
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Hudson, NC 28638

Bethany
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Lenoir, NC 28645

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Lena Bumgarner
Rt. 5, Box 422
Lenoir, NC 28645

Josie Watson
Rt. 5, Box 508
Lenoir, NC 28645

Calvary
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Connie Bradshaw
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CONSTITUTION AND BYLAWS
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CONSTITUTION

Preamble

The Constitution has been established to identify and preserve the fundamental truths and basic beliefs of this association.

Article I: Name

The name of the corporation is the Caldwell Baptist Association, hereinafter referred to as "association."

Article II: Duration

On October 22, 1885, sixteen churches met at the Rocky Springs Baptist Church to organize the Caldwell Baptist Association. The duration of this association is perpetual.

Article III: Location

Section 1. The member churches of this association are located in and adjacent to Caldwell County, North Carolina.

Section 2. The Caldwell Baptist Center, located at 208 Nuway Circle, Northeast, in Lenoir, North Carolina 28645, is recognized as the official headquarters of this association.

Article IV: Purpose Statement

We associate ourselves to assist member churches in fulfilling the Great Commission of Christ through fellowship, education and mission involvement.

Article V: Membership

The association is composed of cooperating Southern Baptist Churches which have been approved for membership by the associational messengers in accordance with the procedures described in the Bylaws.

Article VI: Authority

Section 1. This association is an autonomous body which is governed only by the duly elected messengers from the churches that compose it. Every messenger has the right to vote on all matters of business presented at any quarterly or called meeting of the association provided that the messenger is present. Absentee voting is prohibited.

Section 2. This association may advise and assist member churches as requested, but may not infringe upon the rights of these churches. The association recognizes each church as a self-governing body that has voluntarily decided to be affiliated with the association.

Article VII: Relationships

Section 1. This association is composed of member churches that govern and support it.

Section 2. All internal groups created and empowered by the association are only accountable to the association.

Section 3. The association voluntarily cooperates with and supports the North Carolina Baptist State Convention and the Southern Baptist Convention.

Article VIII: Basic Beliefs

This association accepts the doctrinal statements of *The Baptist Faith and Message* as adopted by the Southern Baptist Convention in 1963. A copy of *The Baptist Faith and Message* is available for study in the Media Library of the Caldwell Baptist Center.

Article IX: Dissolution

The association may be dissolved by a two-thirds majority vote of the messengers present at any quarterly meeting of the association, provided that the recommendation to dissolve was presented in written or typed form to the clerk and publicly stated to the messengers by the moderator or his designee at the preceding quarterly meeting of the association. Typed copies of the recommendation are to be furnished to the messengers of the association for study at least two weeks prior to the vote on the recommendation. Upon vote to dissolve, the assets of the association will be dissolved by the Board of Directors upon instruction of the messengers.

Article X: Amendments

This Constitution may be amended by a three-fourths majority vote of the messengers present at any quarterly meeting of the association, provided that the amendment was presented in written or typed form to the clerk and publicly stated to the messengers by the moderator or his designee at the preceding quarterly meeting of the association. Typed copies of the amendment are to be furnished to the current messengers of the association for study at least two weeks prior to the vote on the amendment.

BYLAWS

Preamble

These Bylaws have been established to identify and preserve procedural matters of this association and to govern this body in an orderly manner.

Article I: Administrative Policies

Section 1. The associational staff is responsible for scheduling the use of the Baptist Center in Lenoir and the Caldwell Cottage at Ridgcrest.

Section 2. Money is to be contributed to the Gideons by the association for the purchase of memorial Bibles upon the death of a pastor, staff minister, associational leader, or a close family member of a pastor, staff minister or associational leader.

Section 3. The Clerk, the Treasurer and the Director of Missions are authorized to have access to the association's safety deposit box located at the First Union National Bank on Main Street in Lenoir.

Article II: Associational Year

The Associational Year begins on October 1 and closes on September 30.

Article III: Finances

Section 1. The fiscal year of the association begins on October 1 and closes on September 30.

Section 2. The Associational Budget for the upcoming year is to be formally presented by the Finance Committee for a vote by the messengers during the quarterly meeting of the association in July each year. In order to give the messengers adequate time to study the budget, the Finance Committee is to prepare and distribute copies of the budget to the messengers by the second Thursday of July each year. The budget becomes effective on October 1 annually. The Finance Committee is to maintain a budget format that corresponds with the organizational structure of the association.

Section 3. The treasurer is to present to the messengers a current financial report clearly showing all receipts and disbursements during each quarterly meeting of the association. During the quarterly meeting in October, an annual financial report is to be presented. The treasurer is to provide a monthly financial report in the associational newsletter including the contributions of each church in the association.

Section 4. The association maintains an ongoing "Ministers Support Fund" to temporarily assist associational pastors, church staff, retired ministers, other ministers and their immediate families during times of financial crises. The Finance Committee confidentially administers the fund, giving an annual report as to the number of persons assisted and the amount of money given.

Section 5. Each associational church is requested to contribute at least 4% of all undesignated receipts to the association.

Section 6. The association is a non-profit organization.

Article IV: Logos

Section 1. The association is to continually have a personalized logo that visually displays the identity and current work of this body.

Section 2. The association accepts and uses the logo of the Southern Baptist Convention to help identify who we are.

Article V: Meetings

Section 1. The messengers of the association meet quarterly to receive information and reports and to transact the business of the association. The meetings are held in October (Fall Meeting), January (Winter Meeting), April (Spring Meeting), and July (Summer Meeting). The meetings in January, April and July are night meetings which are held on the fourth Thursday of each month. The meeting in October is considered the Annual Meeting of the association and is conducted on the fourth Thursday and Friday of October.

The first session of the Annual Meeting is held on Thursday night. The second (final) session is conducted on Friday morning, concluding at lunch. The annual meeting is to be held in one church on Thursday and in another church on Friday. The association is responsible for providing lunch for the messengers on Friday. The association has the option of charging for the meal on a cost recovery basis, or may pay for the meal out of the associational budget.

Section 2. The Associational Meetings Committee is fully responsible for preparing the program, selecting and contacting program participants, and for choosing and preparing the location for each meeting. The location for each quarterly meeting is to be presented in the annual "Calendar of Activities" for the forthcoming year. The committee may ask the associational messengers to move

a quarterly meeting to a date one week prior to or one week after a scheduled meeting date to avoid conflict with a major denominational emphasis date. The meetings are to be held in as many member churches as practically possible on a rotating basis.

Section 3. The Moderator or the Director of Missions can call the messengers together for special meetings to deal with extremely urgent matters that cannot wait until the next quarterly meeting. Before calling a special meeting to order, a notice of at least two weeks is to be given to the messengers with a clear explanation as to the purpose of the meeting. A quorum of fifty messengers must be present to conduct a special meeting.

Section 4. The Moderator may postpone and reschedule quarterly or called meetings of the associational messengers, in cooperation with the Director of Missions and the Associational Meetings Committee Chairman, in the event of inclement weather or other unforeseen crises.

Section 5. A quorum at each of the quarterly meetings of the association consists of those messengers who attend each meeting.

Section 6. *Robert's Rules of Order, Revised*, is the authority for parliamentary rules of procedure for all business meetings of the association.

Section 7. Visitors attending a quarterly or called meeting of the association may by approval of the body participate in debate without the privilege to vote. Visitors are welcome to attend the meetings of the association.

Section 8. All proposed resolutions or public statements to be considered by the associational messengers are to be received by the Communications Committee at least two weeks prior to the scheduled meeting of the messengers. The messengers are to consider only those proposed resolutions and public statements that have been reviewed by the Communications Committee. The committee is responsible for presenting a positive or negative recommendation to the messengers on each proposed resolution or public statement received. The proposal may be amended or substituted by the committee as a part of their recommendation. Copies of all proposed resolutions and public statements, with the name of the initiators, are to be made available to the messengers at or before the beginning of their meeting.

ARTICLE VI: Membership Procedures

Section 1. **ADMISSION:** When seeking admission into the association, a church must present to the Membership Committee a letter of request for admission. The letter should contain the name of the church, the reason for seeking admission into the association, and the date when the church voted to take such action.

- A. After receiving a request for admission into the association the Membership Committee is to meet with leaders of the church to discuss their desire for membership, to explain the associational requirements for admission, to consider any of their church approved documents and location of their meetings, and to deal with any other matters that would help the committee make a decision about their request.
- B. At the next Quarterly Meeting of the Messengers, the Membership Committee is to share the request with the association and to make one of the following recommendations:

1. That the church requesting admission be accepted under the watchcare of the association;
2. That action on the request be delayed for further consideration at the next quarterly meeting of the association; or
3. That the request for membership be denied.

The committee is to give clear reason for its recommendation concerning the status of watchcare. As soon as possible following the associational meeting, the committee is to communicate the action of the association with the church first in spoken words, and then by letter.

- C. Any church that is accepted under the watchcare of the association must remain in that status for at least one full year before being admitted into the membership of the association.
1. Watchcare is a time of bonding between the association and the church seeking admission. The association is to carefully observe the faith, practice and cooperation of the church. The church under watchcare is to receive the same opportunities extended to member churches; however, members of churches under watchcare may not vote nor hold a position of leadership in the association.
 2. During the watchcare period, the church is expected to have an active part in the support of the work of the association, the North Carolina Baptist State Convention and the Southern Baptist Convention.
 3. The Membership Committee is to meet, as needed, with leaders of the church during the watchcare period to discuss their relationship with the association. Representatives of the committee are to visit during meetings of the church to observe the organization and practices of the church.
- D. Near the close of the watchcare period the committee is to evaluate the condition and cooperation of the church and to decide on one of the following recommendations to make to the association at the appropriate time concerning membership:
1. That the church requesting admission be accepted into full fellowship of the association;
 2. That action on the admission be delayed until the next quarterly meeting of the association; or
 3. That admission into the association be denied.

The committee is to give clear reason for its recommendation concerning membership. As soon as possible following the associational meeting, the committee is to communicate with the church the action of the association first in spoken words, and then by letter.

- E. A two-thirds majority vote of the messengers present is needed for the

church to be accepted under watchcare or into full membership of the association.

- F. If a church is denied the status of watchcare or membership by the association, then after the lapse of one year it may submit another letter to the Membership Committee requesting admission.

Section 2. COOPERATION: A cooperating church is defined as one who sends an annual church letter to the associational clerk, is represented by duly elected messengers at quarterly associational meetings, contributes financially to the association, and is in general agreement with the purpose, basic beliefs, programs and ministries of the association.

Section 3. CONFLICT: If a member church is in conflict and requests help from the association, then the Membership Committee and/or the Director of Missions may meet with the church to counsel and work with them in an attempt to help resolve the problem(s).

Section 4. DISMISSAL: Any member church which fails to cooperate with the association is to be contacted by the Membership Committee at their discretion or upon direction of the messengers to ascertain the wishes and desires of the church relative to its continuance in the association. After counsel with the church, the committee may choose to make a recommendation that the church be removed from the membership of the association. Such a recommendation would have to be made at a quarterly meeting of the association, and a two-thirds majority vote of the messengers present would be needed for dismissal of the church from the association.

The committee is to give clear reason for its recommendation concerning action toward the member church. As soon as possible following the associational meeting, the committee is to send a letter to the church to communicate the action taken by the association.

Section 5. WITHDRAWALS: The association recognizes that any affiliated church has the right to withdraw its fellowship from the association. It is requested that the report of such action by a church be sent to the Membership Committee in an official letter from the church.

Upon receipt of the letter, the Membership Committee is to discuss the action with leaders of the church. At the next quarterly meeting of the association, the committee is to inform the messengers of the church action. The association is to take one of the following actions:

- A. Accept the action of the church and immediately remove the church. The church is to be notified of the action by a letter from the association.
- B. Delay acceptance of the church action until the next quarterly meeting and instruct the Membership Committee to ask the church to reconsider its action.

Section 6. NOTIFICATION: The association is to immediately inform the North Carolina Baptist State Convention when a church is accepted under watchcare or membership. In addition, the convention is to be informed if a church is dismissed from the association as a member.

Article VII: Organization and Leadership

Section 1. The association is organized into six levels of operation: Governing, Personnel, Coordinating, Administrative Services, Mission Performance Programs and Fellowship Groups.

A. GOVERNING

1. The ASSOCIATION-IN-SESSION consists of the duly elected messengers by member churches in attendance at each quarterly or called meeting of the association.
2. Churches of fifty (50) members or less are entitled to five (5) messengers. One (1) additional messenger is allowed for each additional fifty (50) church members or major fraction thereof provided no church has more than ten (10) messengers.
3. In addition to the total number of messengers to which each church is entitled, each pastor and each of the five associational officers are considered messengers by virtue of their positions provided that the person is a member of the church being represented.
4. Churches are to elect their messengers before October each year so that the messengers can serve the full associational year from October 1 through September 30. Messengers can serve consecutive years but must be elected annually by their church. Messengers are expected to attend all of the quarterly and called meetings of the association. The name, address, and telephone number of each messengers should be delivered by the church clerk to the associational clerk no later than October 7 each year to facilitate advance registration. This information can accompany the annual church letter.
5. The functions of the messengers are to receive current information and reports about the work of the association and groups with which it is related; transact the business of the association; and report on the meetings and activities of the association to the churches.
6. A person serving as a messenger from a church must be a member in good standing of that church.

B. PERSONNEL

1. Positions:
 - a. The *Director of Missions* is the general leader of the association serving as the director of directors of all programs, ministries, and services of the association. In addition, the Director of Missions leads the association to explore new mission frontiers, and serves as a minister to the churches and church leaders.

The Director of Missions is the chief executive officer of the association, the registered agent of the corporation

(association), and is an ex-officio member of all associational committees, councils, and groups. The Director serves as director of the Associational Council

Election to this office is upon recommendation of the Director of Missions Search Committee and by two-thirds majority vote of approval by the messengers at any quarterly meeting of the association. The time of service is indefinite and can be terminated by written notice to the Personnel Committee by the Director of Missions or by two-thirds majority vote of the messengers at any quarterly meeting of the association upon recommendation of the Personnel Committee.

- b. The *Associate Director of Missions* serves the association by working under the supervision of the Director of Missions in general leadership, mission strategy, ministry to churches and church leaders and as a representative to the denomination and community.

Election to this office is upon recommendation of the Personnel Committee and by two-thirds majority vote of approval by the messengers at any quarterly meeting of the association. The time of service is indefinite and can be terminated by written notice to the Personnel Committee by the Associate Director of Missions or by two-thirds majority vote of the messengers at any quarterly meeting of the association upon recommendation of the Personnel Committee.

- c. The *Administrative Assistant* serves primarily in a secretarial role. However, this individual assists the Director of Missions with daily administrative matters of the association. In addition, the person supervises the general operation of the Baptist Center by answering the telephone, greeting visitors and helping to meet their needs. The Administrative Assistant supervises office help along with the Director of Missions. This person also serves as the Associational Clerk and as secretary of the Associational Council.

The Administrative Assistant is enlisted and recommended to the association by the Personnel Committee. A two-thirds majority vote of approval by the messengers is necessary for employment. The time of service for the Administrative Assistant is indefinite and can be terminated by written notice to the Personnel Committee by the employee or by two-thirds majority vote of the messengers upon recommendation of the Personnel Committee.

- d. The *Financial Secretary* serves as assistant to the Treasurer and helps the Administrative Assistant with office responsibilities. It is a part-time position.

The Financial Secretary is enlisted and recommended to the association by the Personnel Committee. A two-thirds majority vote of approval by the messengers is necessary for employment. The time of service for the Financial Secretary is indefinite and can be terminated by written notice to the Personnel Committee by the employee or by two-thirds majority vote of the messengers upon recommendation of the Personnel Committee.

- e. A *Summer Worker* is to be hired as needed for approximately ten weeks of work. This person, normally a student, does special projects as assigned by the Director of Missions or his designee.

The Summer Worker is enlisted and recommended to the association by the Personnel Committee. A two-thirds majority vote of approval by the messengers is necessary for employment. The association may hire more than one Summer Worker per year, if needed and money is available.

2. General:

- a. Each paid employee is to be provided by the Personnel Committee with an up-to-date job description of his responsibilities.
- b. The Director of Missions is the general supervisor of all paid employees of the association. However, the Director is to work closely with the committees and leaders who share supervision.
- c. The Personnel Committee cannot recommend the Director of Missions, the Associate Director of Missions, the Administrative Assistant, or the Financial Secretary to the association for termination of duties without proper notice and a clear explanation of such action given to the individual prior to the associational meeting at which time the recommendation for dismissal is to be made.

A closing financial arrangement is to be provided for an employee who has been dismissed by the association. The Personnel Committee is to determine a fair closing financial arrangement and to make it a part of the recommendation for dismissal to the association.

The Summer Worker and other temporary employees may be dismissed with clear explanation by the Personnel Committee without approval by the association. No closing financial arrangement is necessary.

C. COORDINATING

- 1. This level of operation is made up of the Administrative Services Council, the Associational Council and the Fellowship Council. The purpose of these councils is to coordinate the overall work of

the association. The Associational Council serves as the primary coordinating council.

2. Coordinating Councils:

- a. The *Administrative Services Council* consists of the administrative services committee chairmen. The council meets only as needed to coordinate the overall work of the committees. The council director represents the committees as a member of the Associational Council.
- b. The *Associational Council* consists of the Mission Performance Programs Directors, the Administrative Services Council Director, the Fellowship Council Director, the Director of Missions, the Associate Director of Missions and the Administrative Assistant.

The Director of Missions serves as the Council Director and the Administrative Assistant serves as secretary.

The purpose of the council is to coordinate the overall program and calendar of the association. The council meets only as needed.

- c. The *Fellowship Council* consists of the head leaders of the associational fellowship groups. The council meets only as needed to discuss fellowship needs and to coordinate the activities of the fellowship groups. The council director represents the fellowship groups as a member of the Associational Council.

D. ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES

1. This level of operation is made up of the committees, the Board of Directors, and the officers of the association. Their purpose is to carry out assigned work in order to help the association operate smoothly. There are eleven committees, the Board of Directors and five officers. Each committee chairman serves as a member of the Administrative Services Council.

The six associational district members serving on the Board of Directors and all committee members are elected for three consecutive years of service. After the lapse of at least one year a person may be nominated for a position previously held. The length of service for the officers is in accordance with their individual job descriptions.

2. Committees:

- a. The *Associational Meetings Committee* is responsible for planning and conducting the regular and called meetings of the associational messengers. The duties of this committee are to: (1) propose an order of business for each meeting of the associational messengers; (2) enlist all program personnel for the associational meetings; (3) publicize the

order of business to the churches in advance of the meeting; (4) arrange for the facilities needed for each meeting; (5) arrange for and conduct proper registration of messengers and visitors at each meeting and to report registration as requested; and (6) recommend future meeting places to the associational messengers in the annual "Calendar of Activities" for the forthcoming year; the committee may ask the associational messengers to move a quarterly meeting to a date one week prior to or one week after a scheduled meeting to avoid conflict with a major denominational emphasis date. The committee consists of six members, each elected for a three-year term with the terms rotating, so that only two members are elected each year.

- b. The *Communications Committee* is responsible for communicating the programs, ministries, resolutions and services of the association to the churches and to the general public. Its duties are to: (1) develop and implement an annual Associational Emphasis Week promotion plan; (2) assist, as needed, with office-produced communications, such as: The Book of Reports and the Annual Minutes; (3) receive, review and recommend all proposed resolutions or public statements; (4) initiate resolutions or statements as needed; (5) develop promotional brochures or other literature that identifies the work of the association, and (6) assist, as requested by the association or associational leaders, in promoting or reporting the work and actions of the association through the secular media. The Communications Committee consists of six members, each elected for a three-year term with the terms rotating, so that only two members are elected each year.
- c. The *External Relations Committee* is responsible for establishing and maintaining proper relationships with groups outside the association. Its duties are to: (1) serve through individual representatives as a channel of communication between the association and various agencies, boards, foundations, and other groups affiliated with the North Carolina Baptist State Convention and the Southern Baptist Convention, and (2) communicate and work, as needed, with non-Baptist groups.

The External Relations Committee consists of the associational representatives of the American Bible Society, the Annuity Board, the Baptist Children's Homes of North Carolina, the Baptist Retirement Homes of North Carolina, the Baptist World Alliance, the Biblical Recorder, Christian Higher Education, the Foreign Mission Board, the Home Mission Board, the North Carolina Baptist Foundation, and the North Carolina Baptist Hospital, each elected for a three-year term.

The current representatives from the Caldwell Association on the General Board of the North Carolina Baptist State Convention serve on this committee as ex-officio members.

These representatives are selected and elected by the convention.

- d. The *Finance Committee* assists the association in securing, administering and reporting its finances. Its duties are to: (1) develop and recommend an overall financial development plan; (2) develop and recommend an associational budget based on the plans of the association's various programs and ministries; (3) plan and direct the effort to seek giving commitments from the churches; (4) conduct studies and make recommendations concerning proposed expenditures not included in the budget; (5) review expenditures periodically in terms of budget allocations and recommend budget adjustments if needed; (6) develop and recommend financial policies and procedures, including provisions for auditing; and (7) administer the associational "Minister's Support Fund." The Finance Committee consists of six elected members, each elected for a three-year term with terms rotating, so that only two members are elected each year.
- e. The *History Committee* is to gather, preserve, and interpret historical records of the association's life and work. Its duties are to: (1) work with the associational clerk in gathering and preserving past associational records; (2) assist in the recording of present-day activities; (3) communicate and interpret the heritage of the association to associational leaders and member churches; (4) use historical facts and documents to challenge the association to accomplish its mission; (5) develop and recommend to the association policies and procedures regarding its historical materials; (6) encourage churches to gather and preserve their historical records and to write, communicate, and interpret their history. The History Committee consists of six members, each elected for a three-year term with the terms rotating, so that only two members are elected each year.
- f. The *Membership Committee* is to assist the association in determining when churches are of like faith and order and can be properly accepted into the association according to the provisions made in the Constitution and Bylaws of the association. Also, this committee serves as a "church conflict" advisory body. In addition, this committee encourages active participation by inactive churches in the association. The duties are to: (1) recommend and implement approved guidelines as needed for receiving churches into the association and for dealing with troubled member or inactive churches in the association; (2) counsel with churches seeking admission into the association and with troubled or inactive member churches; (3) examine the credentials of churches seeking admission into the association (namely, their articles of faith or doctrinal positions, church covenant, polity -- including their constitution and bylaws -- and relationship to the

denomination. The Membership Committee consists of six members, each elected for a three-year term with the terms rotating, so that only two members are elected each year.

- g. The *Nominating Committee* leads in coordinating the selection of all association-elected leaders except paid personnel. Its duties are to: (1) select, interview, enlist, and recommend general associational officers, mission performance program directors, and committee chairmen and members; (2) coordinate the selection of workers for all the association's organizations and committees; (3) approve workers before they are invited to work in program organizations; (4) distribute associational leadership according to priority needs; (5) assist associational program leaders in discovering and enlisting qualified persons to fill positions in their respective organizations; (6) present workers to the association; (7) nominate special committees as assigned by the association.

The Nominating Committee consists of six members, one from each of the six associational districts, each elected for a three-year term with the terms rotating, so that only two members are elected each year. The committee should give careful consideration that all nominees are selected fairly from all six districts of the association, and from all pastors, staff members, men and women of the churches. Each nominee must be a member in good standing in an associational church.

LEADERSHIP SELECTION

- (1) All Church Assistance Program directors are to be formally presented by the Nominating Committee for vote by the messengers at the January meeting of the association. In order to give the messengers adequate time to consider the nominees for program directors, the Nominating Committee is to prepare a complete list of the names and positions and have copies distributed to the messengers by the second Thursday in January.

The individuals approved at the January meeting of the association immediately become the program directors-elect until October when their tenure of service officially begins. The program directors-elect would meet with the Associational Council only upon request; however, each program director-elect is expected to participate in the annual calendar planning meetings.

- (2) Each program director-elect is to immediately start selecting individuals to serve on the respective program councils for the upcoming year. A complete list of the individuals selected to serve is to be presented to the Nominating Committee by March 31 by each program director-elect.

- (3) Fellowship Groups may select their own leadership or ask the Nominating Committee to do the selection. Each group that chooses its own leadership for the upcoming associational year is to present a complete list of the individuals selected to serve to the Nominating Committee by March 31.
- (4) The Board of Directors, officers, committee chairmen and members, leaders of the fellowship groups, and all previously unelected members of program councils are to be formally presented by the Nominating Committee for vote by the messengers at the April meeting of the association. In order to give the messengers adequate time to consider the nominees, the Nominating Committee is to prepare a complete list of the names and positions and have copies distributed to the messengers by the second Thursday of April.

The individuals approved at the April meeting of the association are the leaders "elect" until October 1 when their tenure of service officially begins. Each leader has the privilege to plan and to train as necessary for the upcoming year. The leaders "elect" have no authority over the current year's work, except in a position currently held.

- (5) If vacancies occur during the year the Nominating Committee is to enlist a person to fill each vacated position and to recommend the person to the association. The committee is to work with program directors and committee chairmen as needed in filling each vacancy.
- h. The *Personnel Committee* is responsible for all paid employees of the association. Its duties are to: (1) recommend policies and procedures for the selection, supervision, and termination of associational personnel; (2) maintain up-to-date job descriptions in a manual for every paid position in the association; (3) recruit, interview, and recommend to the association new personnel, excluding the Director of Missions, in full cooperation with the appropriate supervisor; (4) develop and recommend salaries and benefits for employed personnel; (5) develop and recommend to the association policies and procedures regarding continuing education and development for the Director of Missions and other paid personnel. The Personnel Committee consists of six members, each elected for a three-year term with the terms rotating, so that only two members are elected each year. The chairman is a member of the Director of Missions Search Committee.
 - i. The *Properties Committee* assists the association in the administration of all properties in Buncombe and Caldwell Counties. Its duties are to: (1) inspect and keep inventory

of all associational properties; (2) secure, supervise and terminate the services of persons responsible for the care of associational properties; (3) develop and initiate scheduled cleaning procedures; (4) develop and recommend a program of preventive maintenance; (5) develop and recommend policies and procedures for using facilities and equipment; (6) request and administer maintenance, furniture, and equipment budget; (7) develop and, with the Board of Directors, recommend an adequate insurance plan for the properties. The Properties Committee consists of six members, each elected for a three-year term with the terms rotating, so that only two members are elected each year.

This committee can spend up to \$500.00 on one item without approval of the association. Items above that amount must have associational approval.

- j. The *Search Committee* is designed to serve only as needed to secure a Director of Missions. Its duties are to: (1) meet as a committee for the first time within a month following election by the association; (2) choose from within the committee a chairman, vice-chairman and secretary during the first meeting; (3) study and follow carefully the Job Description for the Director of Missions; (4) seek comments and suggestions from the association concerning the expectations of the next Director of Missions; (5) report regularly to the association on progress being made; (6) develop a list of prospects for the position; (7) narrow the list of candidates, thoroughly researching qualifications and references; (8) interview and observe most favorable candidate(s) in different settings; (9) unanimously present choice candidate to the association for approval; (10) assist newly elected Director of Missions during transition period; and (11) inform all other candidates by letter, as necessary, of the decision of the association, expressing appreciation to each person for their time and cooperation. The committee will consist of one pastor, one layman, one laywoman (all named by the Nominating Committee), plus the Moderator and Chairman of the Personnel Committee.
- k. The *Strategy Committee* assists the association in determining its strategic objectives and in staying on course in achieving them. Its duties are to: (1) monitor the needs and opportunities of the churches and provide updated information to the churches and to the associational programs annually; (2) recommend modifications in the organizational structure to help fulfill associational objectives; (3) review the association's constitution and bylaws and recommend modifications as needed; (4) maintain up-to-date job descriptions in a manual for every volunteer position in the association excluding paid workers; (5) lead the association to conduct strategy planning about every five years. The Strategy Committee consists of six members, each elected for a three-year term with the terms rotating, so that only two members are elected each year.

3. Board of Directors:

- a. The *Board of Directors* acts as the legal agent of the association. Its duties are to: (1) serve as legal representative of the association; (2) act as directed by the associational messengers in handling legal matters; (3) oversee the total insurance plan of the association; (4) hold in trust any property, money, endowment or other securities of the association; (5) exercise the power, under the instruction of the associational messengers, to hold, buy, sell, and convey property, both real and personal, and to sign all papers necessary for the purchase or conveyance; and to (6) act in behalf of the associational messengers, under unusual and extreme circumstances, giving a full report to the messengers as soon as possible to explain action taken.

The Board of Directors consists of eleven members. Serving are the five officers of the association, plus six other members, one from each of the six associational districts. The six associational district members are each elected for a three-year term with the terms rotating, so that only two members are elected each year. The Moderator serves as the presiding officer of the board. The Board of Directors meets annually in October and at other times as necessary.

b. Officers:

- (1) The *Moderator*, also known as president, presides over the quarterly and called meetings of the associational messengers. As the presiding officer, the Moderator (1) opens the meetings punctually at the appointed time, enforces the rules, preserves the order, and exercises all the prerogatives of a presiding officer according to the principles of established parliamentary usage (*Roberts Rules of Order, Revised*); (2) appoints a parliamentarian, if desired, to serve at any or all meetings of the associational messengers during his term of office; the person appointed must be approved by the messengers-in-session; (3) serves as an ex-officio member of all committees, councils, and groups of the association; (4) calls the associational messengers together for special meetings to deal with extremely urgent matters that cannot wait until the next quarterly meeting (Before calling a special meeting to order, a notice of at least two weeks is to be given to the associational messengers with a clear explanation as to the purpose of the meeting. A quorum of fifty associational messengers must be present to conduct a special meeting.); (5) postpones and reschedules quarterly or called meetings of the associational messengers, in cooperation with the Director of Missions and the Associational Meetings Committee Chairman, in the

event of inclement weather or other unforeseen crises; and (6) serves as a member of the Director of Missions Search Committee. The Moderator is elected for a one-year term and is eligible for election to a second consecutive term; however, after serving for two consecutive years, the individual could not be considered for Moderator for at least one year.

- (2) It is the duty of the *Vice-Moderator*, also known as Vice-President, to discharge the duties of the Moderator in the absence or at the request of the Moderator. The Vice-Moderator is elected for a one-year term, and is eligible to a second consecutive term. However, after serving for two consecutive years, the individual could not be considered for Vice-Moderator for at least one year.
- (3) The *Clerk*, also known as Secretary, records and keeps in permanent form all transactions of the association and makes this information available upon request. The Clerk's duties are to: (1) serve as recorder during the meetings of the association; (2) secure from the churches the annual Uniform Church Letter and process it according to recommended procedures; (3) edit the associational annual minutes; (4) work with the History Committee to preserve the official records of the association; (5) train and assist church clerks. The Administrative Assistant serves as the Clerk of the association.
- (4) The *Treasurer* receives all of the funds contributed to the association and disburses them in accordance with the budget of the association or for which the funds were contributed. The Treasurer's duties are to: (1) serve as an ex-officio member of the Finance Committee; (2) work with the Finance Committee to recommend and establish fiscal policies; (3) maintain proper records of all monies received and disbursed; (4) provide printed quarterly and annual reports to the association of all receipts and disbursements.

The Treasurer is elected annually and can succeed himself. The chairman of the Finance Committee is authorized to fulfill the duties of the treasurer in the event the treasurer is unable to do so.

- (5) The *Director of Missions* is the chief executive officer of the association, also serving as the registered agent.

E. CHURCH ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS

1. The work of the Church Assistance Programs of the association is carried out through councils. Each council member has definite responsibilities and the number of members on each council is determined by need. Council members are elected annually. The

general director of each council serves as an ex-officio member of the Associational Council. Each council has meetings according to need. Each council consists of a program director and other leaders as needed to conduct the program.

2. Councils:

- a. The *Brotherhood Council* assists churches in educating and involving men and boys in missions.
- b. The *Christian Life Council* informs the churches of critical moral and social issues and leads in Christian action to meet those needs. The council seeks to develop good Christian citizenship and healthy human relations.
- c. The *Discipleship Training Council* assists the churches in starting, improving and expanding Christian discipleship through their Discipleship Training programs.
- d. The *Evangelism Council* assists churches in reaching people for Christ through evangelistic training and by bringing the churches together in corporate efforts of evangelism.
- e. The *Family Ministry Council* assists churches in developing family ministry programs. Special emphasis is placed on ministry activities for preschoolers, children, youth, adults and students. Training opportunities are provided for general leaders of these age groups.
- f. The *Media/Library Council* assists churches in the establishment, development and improvement of church media library services. In addition, the council is responsible for organizing and operating the associational Media Library in the Baptist Center.
- g. The *Missions Development Council* leads the churches to discover opportunities for associational, state, home and foreign missions and to assist the churches in doing mission projects individually and corporately. The council works closely with the Brotherhood, Sunday School and WMU Councils.
- h. The *Music Ministry Council* assists the churches through establishing, conducting, enlarging and improving their music ministries.
- i. The *Pastoral Ministries Council* assists the churches in the development of pastoral ministries, deacon ministry, vocational guidance and church administrative services. In addition, the council ministers to the distinctive needs of pastors, deacons, church staff persons, church councils, church officers and committee members and church vocation volunteers. This council is responsible for interviewing candidates for ordination to the "Gospel Ministry" as requested by the churches.

- j. The *Prayer Council* is responsible for promoting prayer in the churches, providing opportunities for prayer among the churches, and offering conferences and seminars on prayer.
- k. The *Recreation Council* assists churches in providing recreation methods, materials, services, and experiences and is available to other associational organizations wishing to use recreation in accomplishing their particular tasks.
- l. The *Seminary Extension Council* promotes and provides practical and theological education to ministers and laypersons on basic and college levels.
- m. The *Stewardship Council* assists the churches in the development of individual and corporate stewardship.
- n. The *Sunday School Council* assists and challenges churches to improve and enlarge all areas of their Sunday School through planning, training, administration activities, consultation, program interpretation, and cooperative projects.
- o. The *Woman's Missionary Union Council* assists churches in promoting missions and in establishing, enlarging, and strengthening WMU work.

E. FELLOWSHIP GROUPS

1. The purpose of the Fellowship Groups is to provide a setting for particular groups to meet together for fellowship, dialogue, encouragement and mutual care. Hopefully, as the individual groups meet together the fellowship of the whole association can be strengthened.

Each group determines its own leadership in cooperation with the Associational Nominating Committee, and plans its own activities in cooperation with the Associational Fellowship Council. The leader of each fellowship group is a member of the Fellowship Council.

2. Groups:
 - a. The *Bivocational Ministers' Fellowship Group* is for all ordained pastors and other ministers who have a secular vocation in addition to their church vocation.
 - b. The *Church Secretaries' Fellowship Group* includes all Caldwell Baptist church and associational secretaries.
 - c. The *Ministers' Conference Fellowship Group* includes all pastors, bivocational pastors, church staff ministers, other ministers and retired ministers in the association.
 - d. The *Ministers and Wives' Quarterly Fellowship Group* is for all Caldwell Baptist Ministers and their spouses.

- e. The *Ministers Wives' Fellowship Group* includes all the wives of active, deceased, or retired ministers in the association.
- f. The *Music Leaders' Fellowship Group* includes all paid and volunteer ministers of music, directors of music, organists, pianists, and other music leadership in the churches and the association. This group cooperates with the Music Ministry Council of the association.
- g. The *Retired Ministers' Fellowship Group* includes all retired Southern Baptist ministers and their spouses living in the associational area.
- h. The *Youth Ministers' Fellowship Group* consists of all paid and volunteer ministers of youth, youth directors and other youth leaders in the churches of the association. The Associational Youth Director of the Family Ministry Council serves as a member of this group.

Section 2. Every committee, council or fellowship group has the authority to appoint temporary sub-groups to carry out specific assignments as needed. The sub-group ceases to exist at the completion of the assignment. Permanent, but not temporary, sub-groups must be suggested to and approved by the Nominating Committee and then by the messengers of the association.

Section 3. Every associational committee and council is to choose a secretary to record the proceedings of each meeting.

Section 4. Associational leaders and representatives are responsible for presenting written and/or verbal reports to the association as requested.

Section 5. An up-to-date "Organizational Chart" is to be maintained to visibly reveal the overall associational operation.

Section 6. An "Operations Manual" is to be maintained by the Associational Staff in the Baptist Center, containing such items as: paid and volunteer job descriptions, administrative policies, the Articles of Incorporation and the Constitution and Bylaws. The appropriate groups within the associational organization are to assist the staff in keeping the manual up-to-date.

Section 7. Each ex-officio member serving on a council, committee or group is entitled to full voting rights.

Section 8. The General Board members of the Baptist State Convention from the Caldwell Association are to represent the association to the State Convention and vice-versa. The Board members are encouraged to report to the association about Board actions.

Article VIII: Printed Material

Section 1. A periodical newsletter known as the "Caldwell Baptist Caller" is published to communicate information about the work of and matters of interest to the association.

Section 2. The Annual Minutes are prepared to serve as a record of information about the association.

Section 3. An "Associational Directory" is prepared annually and updated quarterly to provide information on who are associational leaders, church leaders, and other persons of interest to the association and how to contact them.

Section 4. A "Calendar of Activities" is prepared annually to inform the churches of upcoming events in or related to the association.

Section 5. Reports to the association and promotional pieces about the work of the association are printed as needed.

Section 6. Each member church is expected to prepare and deliver to the associational clerk the "Annual Church Profile" by October 7 each year.

Article IX: Amendments

These Bylaws may be amended by a two-thirds majority vote of the messengers present at any quarterly meeting of the association provided that the amendment was presented in written or typed form to the clerk and publicly stated to the messengers by the moderator or his designee at the preceding quarterly meeting of the association. Typed copies of the amendment are to be furnished to the current messengers of the association for study at least two weeks prior to a vote on the amendment.

Constitution and Bylaws — Caldwell Baptist Association, Inc.

Amended: October 25, 1991

(Clerk's Report, Fall Quarterly (Annual) Meeting Proceedings, No. 9d)

Amended: July 23, 1992

(Clerk's Report, Summer Quarterly Meeting Proceedings, No. 8b)

Amended: October 23, 1992

(Clerk's Report, Fall Quarterly (Annual) Meeting Proceedings, No. 9)

Amended: October 28, 1994

(Clerk's Report, Fall Quarterly (Annual) Meeting Proceedings, No. 7c)

DEDICATION**Mrs. W.R. (Lala) Moss**

Mrs. W.R. (Lala) Moss was born January 19, 1898. She is 96 years old and lives at Shaire Center, Connelly Springs Road, Cahah's Mountain, North Carolina. She joined the First Baptist Church of Hudson thirty years ago on December 27, 1964. There is a portrait of Mrs. Moss in the T.E.L. Sunday School Class room that continues to inspire others as they think of her many talents; outstanding, cheerful personality; her loyalty to Jesus Christ and faithful service to His church for 82 years.

She was saved when she was sixteen years old and was married to Rev. W.R. Moss on July 2, 1923. They raised six children, faithfully served churches in North Carolina and Virginia and were a blessing to many Baptist pastors, young and old. She says, "Things were not always easy, but we worked together with God, and He has always been with us. We have prayed through the hard places."

Mrs. Moss taught Sunday School, worked in all the church organizations and played the organ and piano. She has written beautiful and meaningful poetry about people and true events for many years. She has brought us laughter and helped to dry our tears.

Rev. Moss passed away February 27, 1973; however, Mrs. Moss continued to attend the pastor's wives meetings, the Annual Associational Meetings and to work in her local church. She says, "the best way I know that I am a Christian is that I love people. When I am gone, I don't want the preacher to say a whole lot, but if he can say, 'she was a Christian', I will be satisfied." Mrs. Moss continues to be a real blessing to all with whom she comes in contact.

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Caldwell Baptist Association, Inc.

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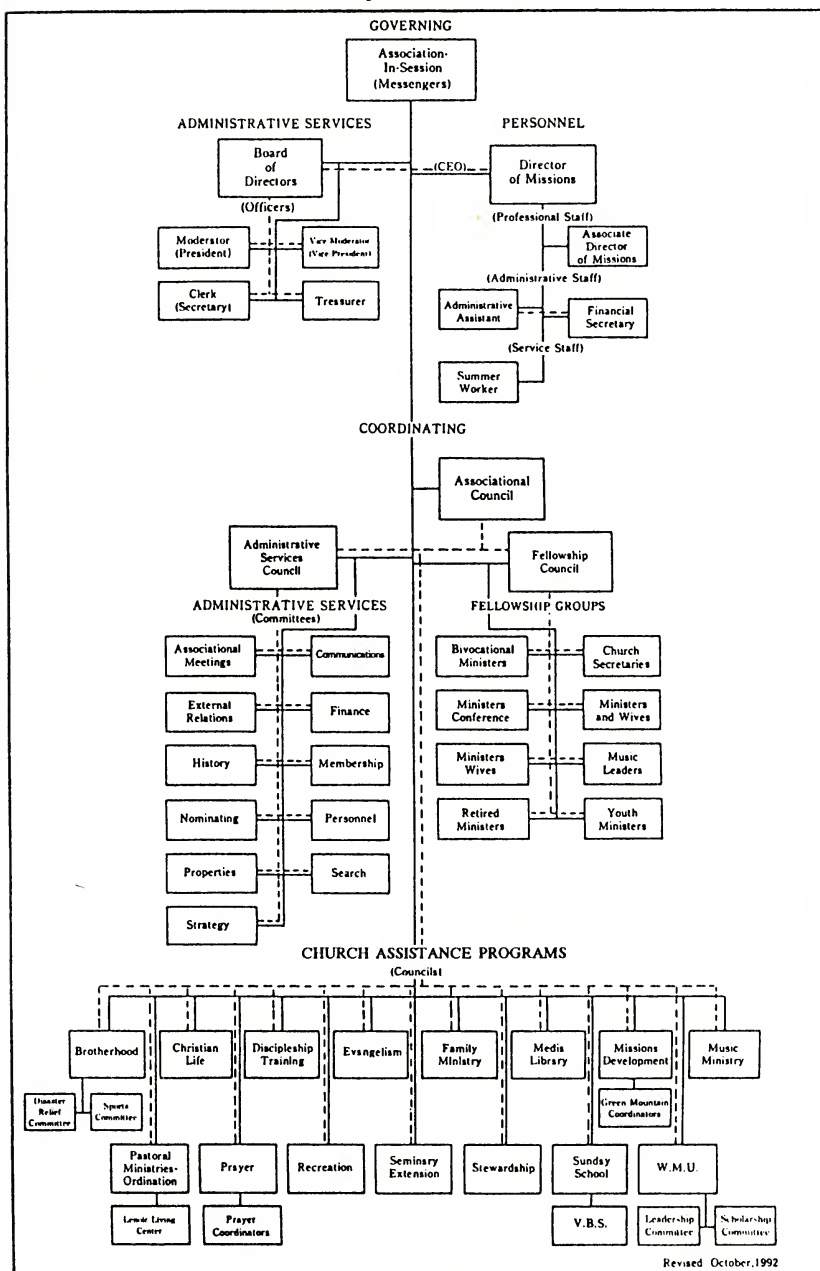
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						1992		1		5		0		0		0		2		1		1		1		0		3		178		178		0		1		0					
						1994		4		1		26		0		3		2		6		6		7		2		9		23		128		128		0		1		0			
						1992		1		2		0		0		0		1		0		1		0		0		1		7		128		67		61		0		0			
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 Association (Month & Day)
 Caldwell September 30

State North Carolina
 Director of Associational Missions
 R. Dale Fisher
 Address City State Zip
 P.O. Box 1555 Lenoir NC 28645

PASTORS & ADDRESSES

CHURCHES	County	1	2	3	4	5	6	6a	6b	6c	6d	6e	6f	6g	7	8	9	9a	9b	10	11
Liberty	Cald	1953	Y	1991	3	1	9	0	1	3	1	0	4	0	15	20	82	82	0	0	0
Livingston Mem.	Cald	1956	Y	1992	1		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	176	94	82	0	0
Lower Creek	Cald	1826	N		6	1	9	0	0	3	1	3	2	0	10	33	746	553	193	4	5
Meadowbrook	Cald	1965	Y	1993	6	1	6	0	3	0	2	1	0	0	6	47	526	506	20	0	0
Miller Hill	Cald	1935	N		6	1	4	0	1	2	1	0	0	0	6	8	397	350	47	0	1
Mountain Grove	Cald	1886	Y	1986	1	1	51	0	10	9	10	11	0	0	126	25	1835	1825	10	0	0
Mountain View	Cald	1948	Y	1991	1	1	4	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	4	1	58	50	8	0	0
Mt. Carmel	Cald	1970	Y	1991	3	1	5	0	0	1	2	1	1	0	3	1	94	94	0	0	0
Mt. Zion	Cald	1889	Y	1994	3	1	9	0	1	1	1	2	4	0	7	29	927	652	275	2	2
Milberry	Cald	1853	Y	1982	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	10	97	75	22	0	0
Mulvale	Cald	1941	Y	1994	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	15	191	112	79	0	0
Nelsons Chapel	Cald	1905	Y	1994	1	1	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	3	165	131	34	0	0
New Life	Cald	1986	Y	1989	6	1	55	1	6	14	21	8	5	0	80	11	400	381	19	28	0
North Catawba	Cald	1795	Y	1988	1	1	5	0	0	1	3	0	1	0	2	14	549	422	127	1	0
Oak Grove	Cald	1938	Y	1983	1	1	13	0	2	0	6	2	3	0	20	10	378	196	182	0	0
Open Door	Cald	1990	Y	1991	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	16	16	0	0	0
Piney Grove	Cald	1864	Y	1987	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	5	226	142	84	0	0
Pisgah																					
Pooveys Chapel	Cald	1932	Y	1976	1	28	11	0	3	2	3	1	2	0	11	5	335	335	0	0	0
Pooveys Grove	Cald	1889	Y	1984	1	1	3	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	8	7	240	160	80	0	0

No Letter Received

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PASTORS & ADDRESSES							
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		1	2	3	4	5	6
		6b	6c	6d	6e	6f	7
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		8	9	9a	9b	10	11
		Members lost (by letter, death, statement, etc.)	Total Membership	Resident Members	Non-Resident Members	Received from Non-Baptist Churches	Lost to Non-Baptist Churches
Providence	Cald	1993 Y	1993	6	1	5	0
Rhodhiess First	Cald	1906 Y	1993	3	1	6	0
Rocky Springs	Cald	1843 Y	1985	1	1	11	0
Rufus	Cald	1940 Y	1993	1	1	1	0
Setzer Creek	Cald	1948 Y	1991	1	1	5	0
Sunrise	Cald	1965 Y		2		0	0
Temple Hill	Cald	1946 Y	1993	1	1	18	0
Union	Cald	1814 Y	1991	1	1	2	0
Union Grove	Cald	1899 N		1		6	0
West Lenoir	Cald	1942 Y	1970	6	1	8	1
Whitnel First	Cald	1910 N		7	1	4	0
Yadkin	Cald	1791 Y	1986	2	1	3	0
Yadkin Valley	Cald	1934 Y	1982	1	1	7	0
Zacks Fork	Cald	1951 Y	1971	1	28	13	0
TOTALS							
PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS							

TABLE B SUNDAY SCHOOL INFORMATION										YEAR ENDING 1994 (Month & Day) September 30													
Association Caldwell State North Carolina Associational Sunday School Director Phil Duncan Address 171787 Cajahs Mountain Rd. City Hudson State NC Zip 28638										Total Sunday School Enrollment													
										12a	12b	12c	12d	12e	12f	12g	12h	12i	12j	12k	12l	12m	12n
										Cradle Roll Enrollment (Birth to 2 years)	Preschool Enrollment (Birth through 5 years)	Children Enrollment (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	Youth Enrollment (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	Young Adult Enrollment (18-24 yrs. or 11-12 grad. through 24 yrs.)	Adult Enrollment (25-34 years)	Adult Enrollment (35-64 years)	Senior Adult Enrollment (65 and over)	Special Enrollment	Adults Away Enrollment	Homebound Enrollment	General Officers Enrollment	Other Ongoing Bible Study	Average Weekly Sunday School Attendance

TABLE B SUNDAY SCHOOL INFORMATION				YEAR ENDING 1994	
Association	Address	City	State	Month & Day	Calendar
North Carolina	Associational Sunday School Director	Hudson	NC	September	30
Phillip Duncan	1787 Catalpa Mountain Rd.	Hudson	NC	28638	
SUNDAY SCHOOL DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES					
CHURCHES					
Fellowship	Frank Reid, Rt. 1, Box 89, Hudson, NC				
Flemings Chapel	Scott Livingston, 100 Pineburr Rd., Lenoir, NC				
Friendship	James Fox, 1432 May Road, Granite Falls, NC				
Gethsemane	Sharon Bryant, Rt. 11, Box 630, Lenoir, NC				
Globe	No Letter Received				
Grandin	Cecil Bowlin, 214 Whitnel Place, Lenoir, NC				
Grandview Park	Mikeal Woods, 124 Spencer Heights, Lenoir, NC				
Granite Falls First	Audley Frazier, 3770 Dry Ponds Rd, Granite Falls, NC				
Green Rock	No Letter Received				
Green Valley	Leonard Dickerson, Jr., PO Box 178, Collettsville, NC				
Harris Chapel	Bill Parsons, Rt. 4, Box 322, Granite Falls, NC				
Harrisburg					
Hartland	Brathel Poarch, 3532 Hartland Rd., Morganton, NC				
Hibriten	No Letter Received				
Hudson First	Neal Triplett, PO Box 2486, Lenoir, NC				
Indian Hills	Barry Vandiver, 103 Cactus Ct., Lenoir, NC				
Johns River	No Letter Received				
Kings Creek	Steve Hedrick, Rt. 1, Box 429-B, Lenoir, NC				
Lakeview	Troy Smart, 2110 Walt Arney Rd, Box 11, Lenoir, NC				
Lenoir First	Gary Shore, 113 Auld Farm Rd., Lenoir, NC				

TABLE B SUNDAY SCHOOL INFORMATION				YEAR ENDING		1994															
Association Caldwell State North Carolina Associational Sunday School Director Phil Duncan Address 1787 Calahs Mountain Rd. CHURCHES				(Month & Day) September 30		SUNDAY SCHOOL DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES															
Providence	Kevin Tuttle, 817 Meadowood Dr., Lenoir, NC	78	7	7	8	13	1	10	25	4	0	0	0	3	0	54	0	0	7	0	0
Rhodiss First	Dennis Lewis, 12 Hunters Oak Lane, Granite Falls, NC	137	0	21	20	25	7	3	35	25	0	0	0	1	0	99	2	0	10	8	97
Rocky Springs	Chris Young, PO Box 31, Collettsville, NC	127	0	20	21	15	11	19	18	12	0	0	0	11	0	82	13	2	17	0	120
Rufus	Elmer Guinn, 110-A Plymouth Rd., Lenoir, NC	43	0	3	1	2	4	4	11	8	0	0	0	10	0	18	1	0	2	0	0
Setzer Creek	Brian Rodgers, 106 Denver Court, Lenoir, NC	183	0	25	17	16	36	19	33	33	0	0	0	4	0	98	14	1	8	0	124
Sunrise	Burl Smith, 2650 Withers Dr., Hudson, NC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Temple Hill	Bill Correll, Rt. 7, Box 559, Hickory, NC	142	1	3	3	14	42	27	27	20	0	0	0	5	0	134	50	0	0	6	189
Union	Hoyt Reid, Rt. 2, Box 308, Lenoir, NC	156	10	6	22	28	7	17	34	27	0	0	0	5	0	86	13	6	8	5	127
Union Grove	Warren Shook, 259 Union Grove Rd., Lenoir, NC	241	0	27	34	24	8	27	116	0	0	0	0	5	0	154	0	0	0	0	157
West Lenoir	Joe Cook, 922 Pine Crest Pl., NE, Lenoir, NC	342	0	39	28	27	19	15	175	32	0	0	0	7	0	258	0	8	26	0	0
Whitnel First	Wayne Gravely, 2203 Rolling Hill Ct., SW, Lenoir, NC	281	0	23	26	22	7	36	88	53	17	0	2	7	0	150	29	4	4	0	105
Yadkin	Lydia Bryant, PO Box 312, Patterson, NC	347	0	25	38	31	26	85	90	32	0	0	16	4	0	163	13	21	61	0	172
Yadkin Valley	Neal Roland, Rt. 5, Box 143-A, Lenoir, NC	56	1	0	12	5	7	0	10	14	0	0	1	6	0	40	0	0	0	0	84
Zacks Fork	Bobby Brooks, PO Box 1048, Lenoir, NC	146	6	19	16	17	15	13	30	27	0	0	0	3	0	108	0	2	0	0	146
TOTALS		15467	113	1346	1817	1664	1317	1911	4485	2054	39	48	333	329	14	7115	898	256	1176	197	6891
PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS																					

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TABLE C DISCIPLESHIP TRAINING INFORMATION				YEAR ENDING		1994													
						(Month & Day)													
						September 30													
Association																			
Caldwell																			
State																			
North Carolina																			
Associational Discipleship Training Director																			
Robert Weathers																			
Address																			
1882 Dudley Shoals Road																			
City																			
Granite Falls																			
State																			
NC																			
Zip																			
28630																			
DISCIPLESHIP TRAINING DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES																			
CHURCHES																			
Fellowship				0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Flenings Chapel				19	0	0	0	18	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12
Friendship				137	17	17	19	72	3	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	6	59	0
Gethsemane				0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Globe																			
Grandin				0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Grandview Park				0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Granite Falls First				216	8	21	44	12	12	0	0	48	0	0	0	75	30		
Green Rock																			
Green Valley				0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Harris Chapel				81	10	13	15	32	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	79		
Harrisburg				0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hartland				167	11	13	22	47	4	5	53	0	0	0	0	12	57		
Hibriten																			
Hudson First				179	18	16	46	89	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	88		
Indian Hills				0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Johns River																			
Kings Creek				113	22	28	14	12	2	10	0	14	0	0	0	11	51		
Lakeview				60	5	6	8	38	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	19	0
Lenoir First				0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Average Weekly Discipleship Training Attendance

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TABLE D MUSIC MINISTRY INFORMATION				YEAR ENDING		1994		22	22a	22b	22c	22d	22e	22f	22g	22h	22i	22j	
Association				(Month & Day)		September 30													
Caldwell																			
State																			
North Carolina				Association Music Director		Sherrill German		Total Music Ministry Enrollment	Preschool Enrollment (3 year olds)	Preschool Enrollment (4-5 year olds)	Children's Enrollment (6-8 years or grades 1-3)	Children's Enrollment (9-11 years or grades 4-6)	Youth Enrollment (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	Adult Enrollment (18 and over)	Senior Adult Choir Enrollment	Handbell Enrollment	Vocal Ensemble Enrollment	Instrumental Ensemble Enrollment	
Address				City		State													
P.O. Box 254				Patterson		NC													
				Zip		28661													
CHURCHES				MUSIC DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES															
Fellowship				Barry Laws, Rt. 1, Box 220-AL, Hudson, NC				50	0	0	10	10	0	30	0	0	0	0	0
Flemings Chapel				Gary Gragg, 102 Corolla Hills, Lenoir, NC				88	0	6	5	3	24	32	8	0	0	0	10
Friendship				Layne Edwards, 1560 Dry Ponds Rd., Granite Falls, NC				112	15	27	6	7	12	33	0	0	0	12	0
Gethsemane								2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	
Globe				No Letter Received															
Grandin				Mrs. Lennis Eller, Rt. 1, Box 551, Lenoir, NC				0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Grandview Park				Marvin Triplett, 107 Melview Rd., Lenoir, NC				8	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	0	0
Granite Falls First				Pamela Johnston, 6133 Northlake Dr., Hickory, NC				121	8	6	7	9	40	35	0	9	7	0	0
Green Rock				No Letter Received															
Green Valley				Nicky Waters, 115 Union Grove Rd., Lenoir, NC				25	0	0	0	4	3	18	0	0	0	0	0
Harris Chapel				Allen Norrod, CB-50-12, 318 Cypress St., Hudson, NC				72	3	4	7	10	6	32	0	0	10	0	0
Harrisburg				Patricia Greene, 118 Sharon Place, Hudson, NC				25	0	0	0	0	5	15	0	0	3	2	
Hartland				Barry Mock, Rt. 6, Box 392, Lenoir, NC				74	0	0	0	7	9	32	0	0	17	9	
Hibriten				No Letter Received															
Hudson First				Donald Almond, Rt. 1, Box 221-E, Hudson, NC				135	0	0	16	12	35	44	0	12	16	0	0
Indian Hills				Shirley Phillips, 1554 N. Catawba Church Rd., Lenoir, NC				47	0	0	0	0	0	32	0	0	12	3	
Johns River				No Letter Received															
Kings Creek				Karla Lowman, Rt. 1, Box 444, Lenoir, NC				98	3	12	10	10	10	30	15	0	0	8	
Lakeview								34	0	0	1	1	0	26	0	0	6	0	
Lenoir First				Thomas Hinton, 505 Norwood St., SW, Lenoir, NC				110	0	10	15	25	20	40	0	0	0	0	0

TABLE D MUSIC MINISTRY INFORMATION				YEAR ENDING		1994										
Association				(Month & Day)		September 30										
State																
North Carolina																
Associational Music Director																
Sherrill German																
Address				City		State		Zip								
P.O. Box 254				Patterson		NC		28661								
CHURCHES				MUSIC DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES												
Liberty				56	6	0	2	2	7	35	0	1	2	1	22i	22j
Livingston Memorial				27	0	0	0	0	0	27	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lower Creek				119	0	10	18	18	18	42	0	0	9	4	0	0
Meadowbrook				62	4	9	7	5	5	32	0	0	0	0	0	0
Miller Hill				58	0	0	0	0	0	30	25	0	3	0	0	0
Mountain Grove				275	0	15	21	25	22	171	0	0	16	5	0	0
Mountain View				17	0	0	0	0	0	17	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mt. Carmel				14	0	0	0	1	3	10	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mt. Zion				137	0	15	15	15	30	35	0	0	17	10	0	0
Mulberry				38	6	6	0	2	0	15	0	0	4	5	0	0
Mulvale				21	0	0	0	0	2	19	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nelsons Chapel				20	0	0	0	1	1	14	0	0	0	4	0	0
New Life				85	1	3	5	8	20	35	0	0	9	4	0	0
North Catawba				164	2	9	10	14	24	39	9	17	30	10	0	0
Oak Grove				40	0	0	0	0	15	25	0	0	0	0	0	0
Open Door				0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Piney Grove				36	5	6	1	3	3	18	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pisgah																
Rooveys Chapel				71	0	3	3	4	15	3	25	0	13	5	0	0
Rooveys Grove				20	0	0	0	0	0	20	0	0	0	0	0	0

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TABLE E WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION AND BROTHERHOOD INFORMATION													YEAR ENDING 1984 (Month & Day)	
Association													September 30	
State														
North Carolina														
Associational WMU Director and Address														
6155 Icard Dam Road, Hickory, N. C. 28601														
Alma Heiton														
Associational Brotherhood Director and Address														
3890 US Hwy. 321-A, Hudson, N. C. 28638														
Earl Woods														
CHURCHES														
WMU DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES														
BROTHERHOOD DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES														
Sue Keever, Rt. 2, Box 200-A, Granite Falls, NC														
Penald Houten, Rt. 2, Box 440-E, Granite Falls, NC														
Baton														
Bethany														
Blairs Fork														
Blue Ridge														
Becky Stray, 710 Severt Cir., NE, Lenoir, NC														
Joe McQuire, Rt. 4, Box 1783, Granite Falls, NC														
Buffalo Cove														
Cajahs Mountain														
No Letter Received														
Calvary														
Cedar Rock														
Center Grove														
Central														
Clarks Chapel														
Clearview														
Clover														
College Avenue														
Concord														
Conways Chapel														
Crest View														
Dry Ponds														
Dudley Shoals														
Edgemont														

TABLE F FINANCIAL INFORMATION										YEAR ENDING		1994		27	27a	27b	27c	28	28a	28b	28c	28d	28e	30	31	32																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																							
										(Month & Day)		Total Receipts	Undesignated gifts, offerings, etc.														Designated gifts, offerings, etc.	All other receipts	Total local expenditure	Church staff salaries	Money paid out on new construction during the year	Debt retirement during the year	Church literature	All other local expenditures	Value of church property	Money borrowed during the year	Church debt																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																												
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TABLE F FINANCIAL INFORMATION						YEAR ENDING		1994 (Month & Day) September 30	
Association Caldwell									
State North Carolina									
Associational Treasurer Jack Spainhour									
Address		City		State		Zip			
P.O. Box 177		Lenoir		NC		28645			
CHURCHES		TREASURERS & ADDRESSES							
Providence		Janice Triplett, 1208 Connelly Springs Rd., Lenoir, NC							
Rhodniss First		Jerry Herman, 8 Finn Street, Granite Falls, NC							
Rocky Springs		Patsy Suddreth, Rt. 10, Box 351, Lenoir, NC							
Rufus		Mrs. W.B. Greene, Rt. 8, Box 373, Lenoir, NC							
Setzer Creek		Diane Moretz, Rt. 8, Box 385-A, Lenoir, NC							
Sunrise		Floyd Crouch, 179 Cedar Avenue, Hudson, NC							
Temple Hill		Denise Coffey, 231 Fowler Rd., Granite Falls, NC							
Union		Blanche Reid, Rt. 2, Box 316, Lenoir, NC							
Union Grove		Dale Watson, 352 Union Grove Rd., Lenoir, NC							
West Lenoir		Hilda Cook, 922 Pinecrest Place, Lenoir, NC							
Whitnel First		Marshall Johnson, Rt. 2, Box 307-F, Granite Falls, NC							
Yadkin		Bill Isaacs, 130 Hillwood Drive, Lenoir, NC							
Yadkin Valley		Paul Lovins, Rt. 8, Box 239, Lenoir, NC							
Zacks Fork		Teana Coffey, P.O. Box 1048, Lenoir, NC							
		TOTALS							
		PREVIOUS YEAR TOTALS							

TABLE G MISSION EXPENDITURES				YEAR ENDING 1994 (Month & Day) September 30	
Association Calwell		State		State	
North Carolina		North Carolina		North Carolina	
Associational Clerk		Associational Clerk		Associational Clerk	
Ann Halton		Ann Halton		Ann Halton	
Address		City		State	
P.O. Box 1555		Lenoir		NC	
CHURCHES		CHURCH CLERKS & ADDRESSES		CHURCH CLERKS & ADDRESSES	
29	Total Mission Expenditure	29a	Mission—Money paid out on new construction during the year	29b	All other church-sponsored mission expenditures
29c	Cooperative Program	29d	Associational Missions	29e	State Missions
29f	Annie Armstrong Offering	29g	Other Home Missions	29h	Other Foreign Missions
29i	SB Christian Education (schools, etc.)	29k	Children's Homes (cash plus goods)	29l	SB Hospitals
29m	SB Homes for the Aged	29n	All other mission causes		

TABLE G MISSION EXPENDITURES				YEAR ENDING		1994													
Association				Caldwell		(Month & Day)													
State				North Carolina		September 30													
Association Clerk				Ann Patton															
Address				P.O. Box 1555		Zip													
CHURCHES				City		State													
CHURCH CLERKS & ADDRESSES				Lenoir		NC													
				P.O. Box 1555		28645													

TABLE G MISSION EXPENDITURES				YEAR ENDING 1994 (Month & Day)		29	Total Mission Expenditure	29a Mission—Money paid out on new construction during the year	29b All other church-sponsored mission expenditures	29c Cooperative Program	29d Associational Missions	29e State Missions	29f Annie Armstrong Offering	29g Other Home Missions	29h Lottie Moon Offering	29i Other Foreign Missions	29j SB Christian Education (schools, etc.)	29k Children's Homes (cash plus goods)	29l SB Hospitals	29m SB Homes for the Aged	29n All other mission causes
CHURCHES		CHURCH CLERKS & ADDRESSES																			
Liberty	Pauline Shew, Rt. 2, Box 6, Hudson, NC																				
Livingston Mem.	Pearline Hatton, Rt. 1, Box 220, Boomer																				
Lower Creek	Marjorie Conley, 925 Hawthorne Dr, Lenoir																				
Meadowbrook	Mary Lib Presnell, P.O. Box 187, Lenoir																				
Miller Hill	Bea Pope, 512 Wentworth Cir, NW, Lenoir																				
Mountain Grove	Cynthia Herman, 1207 N Cat. Ch. Ave, Lenoir																				
Mountain View	Jennifer Coffey, Rt.10, Box 239-D, Lenoir																				
Mt. Camel	Judy Mullinax, Rt.4, Box 984, Hudson, NC																				
Mt. Zion	Sheilia Fox, 1436 May Rd, Granite Falls																				
Mulberry	Collene Triplett, Rt. 10, Box 750, Lenoir																				
Mulvale	Nina Pritchard, Rt.7, Box 234, Lenoir, NC																				
Nelsons Chapel	Norma Cozort, 3770 Blow. Rock Blvd, Lenoir																				
New Life	Jennifer Dula, 2610 Baker Cir, Granite																				
North Catawba	Mrs. Merle Chapman, Rt.3, Box 342, Lenoir																				
Oak Grove	Margie Smith, 4770 Hurr. Hill Rd, Granite																				
Open Door	Lucille McCarr, 276 Fairview Dr, N, Lenoir																				
Piney Grove	Lorraine Minton, Rt.5, Box 284, Lenoir, NC																				
Pisgah	No Letter Received																				
Pooveys Chapel	Corinne Hatley, Rt.1, Box 316, Hudson																				
Pooveys Grove	Oscar Wise, 6125 Wise Place, Granite																				

TABLE H. SPECIAL INFORMATION										33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	
Association	Caldwell		Broadcast	Budget Promotion	Senior/Single Adult Council	A M Worship Service Attendance	College Student Baptisms	Missions Project Participants	Legally Blind Persons	Congregational Services	Visitation	Week of Prayer—Home Missions	Home Mission Study	Week of Prayer—Foreign Missions	Foreign Mission Study	Deacon Family Ministry	Conduct Support Groups	Community Ministries	Tithing Commitments	Observe RA Week	Library/Media Center	Computer Processing	Pastor Medical Insurance	Budget	State Paper in Budget	Give Assoc. % Basis	Church Archives	Building/Renovating								
CHURCHES																																				
Baton			1	1	1	70	0	0	1	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	N					N	N	
Bethany			1	1	1	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N					Y	N
Blairs Fork			1	1	1	50	0	0	0	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N					N	N
Blue Ridge			1	1	1	80	0	15	0	Y	Y	N	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y	N					Y	Y
Buffalo Cove			5	1	1	41	0	4	0	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	Y	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	N					Y	N
Cajahs Mountain																																				
Calvary			5	1	1	200	1	0	0	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	N	N	Y	Y	Y	N					Y	N
Cedar Rock			5	1	1	0	0	0	0	Y	N	Y	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	N	Y	N					Y	Y
Center Grove			2	1	1	160	0	0	0	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	Y	Y	N	N	Y	Y	Y	N					N	N
Central			2	1	2	185	0	23	0	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	Y	Y					Y	N
Clarks Chapel			1	1	1	84	0	0	0	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y					Y	N
Clearview			1	3	1	148	0	0	0	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N					N	N
Clover			1	1	2	140	0	2	0	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y					Y	N
College Avenue			5	3	2	171	0	50	5	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y					Y	N
Concord			1	3	4	280	0	14	0	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	N					Y	N
Conways Chapel			1	1	1	22	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N					N	N
Crest View			1	1	2	183	0	0	1	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N					Y	Y
Dry Ponds			1	1	2	0	4	83	1	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y					Y	N
Dudley Shoals			1	1	2	349	0	68	2	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y					N	N
Edgemont			1	1	1	11	0	0	0	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N					N	N

TABLE H/SPECIAL INFORMATION															
Association	Caldwell														
State	North Carolina														
YEAR ENDING 9/30 1994 (Month & Day)															
		CHURCHES													
Liberty		1	1	1	50	0	0	0	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N
Livingston Memorial			1	1	0	0	0	0	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N	N
Lower Creek		5	1	1	285	2	2	1	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Meadowbrook		1	1	2	125	0	25	0	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Miller Hill		5	1	2	150	0	0	1	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N
Mountain Grove		1	1	1	0	0	0	3	Y	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y
Mountain View		1	1	1	35	0	0	0	Y	N	N	N	Y	Y	N
Mt. Carmel		5	1	1	28	0	15	0	N	N	Y	N	N	Y	Y
Mt. Zion		5	1	2	266	0	169	0	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Mulberry		5	1	1	79	0	0	0	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	Y
Mulvale		4	1	1	65	0	0	0	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	N
Nelsons Chapel		5	1	2	52	0	0	0	Y	N	N	N	N	Y	N
New Life		1	1	1	250	0	0	1	Y	Y	N	N	N	Y	Y
North Catawba		5	1	1	133	0	2	0	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	N
Oak Grove		1	1	1	115	0	2	0	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N
Open Door		1	1	1	42	0	0	0	Y	N	N	N	N	Y	N
Piney Grove		1	1	1	135	0	0	0	Y	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y
Pisgah															
Pooveys Chapel					0	0	53	0	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	N
Pooveys Grove		5	1	1	100	0	0	2	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	N

DISTRICTS

1 — COLLETTSVILLE

Conways Chapel
Edgemont
Globe
Green Valley
Johns River
Mountain View
Mulberry
Mulvale
Rocky Springs
Rufus

2 — PATTERSON

Bethany
Buffalo Cove
Crest View
Green Rock
Indian Hills
Nelsons Chapel
Piney Grove
Setzer Creek
Yadkin

3 — LENOIR NORTH

Blairs Fork
Calvary
Cedar Rock
Grandin
Kings Creek
Lenoir First
Liberty
Livingston Memorial
Lower Creek
Open Door
Union

4 — LENOIR SOUTH

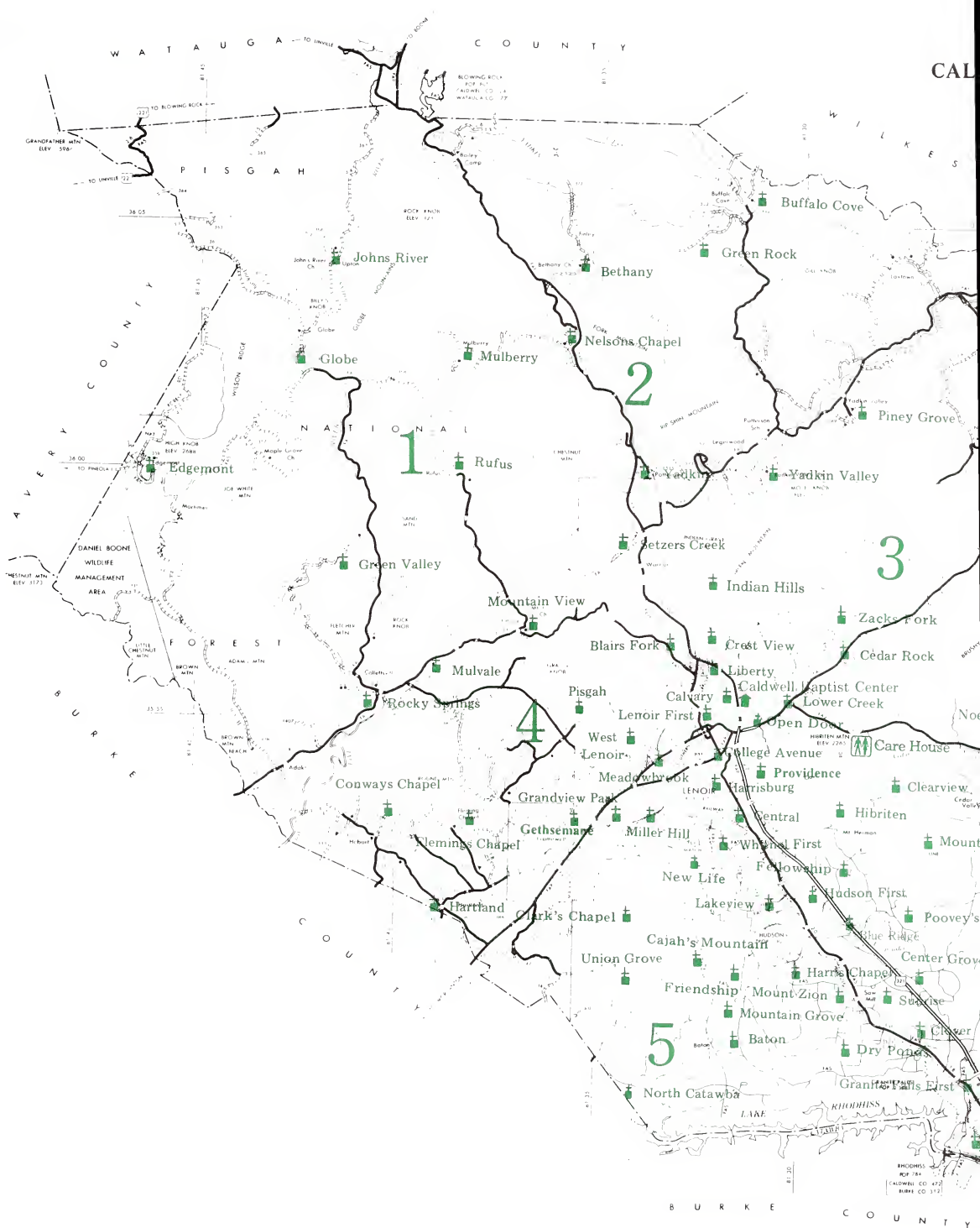
Zack's Fork
Central
College Avenue
Flemings Chapel
Gethsemane
Grandview Park
Harrisburg
Hartland
Hibriten
Meadowbrook
Miller Hill
New Life
Pisgah
Providence
West Lenoir
Whitnel First

5 — HUDSON

Baton
Blue Ridge
Cajah's Mountain
Clark's Chapel
Clearview
Fellowship
Friendship
Harris Chapel
Hudson First
Lakeview
Mountain Grove
North Catawba
Poovey's Chapel
Union Grove

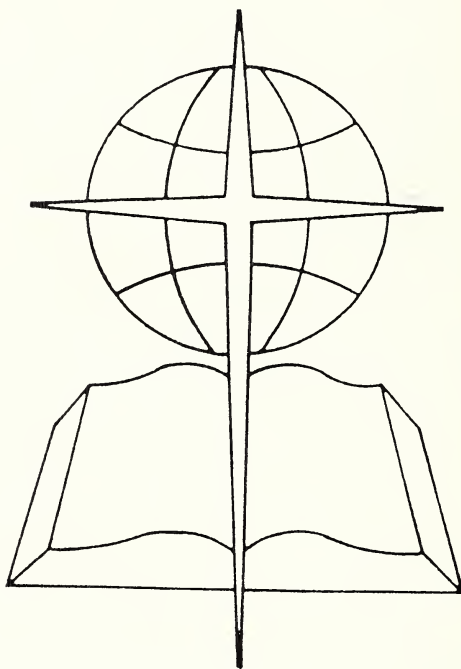
6 — GRANITE FALLS

Center Grove
Clover
Concord
Dry Ponds
Dudley Shoals
Granite Falls First
Mount Carmel
Mount Zion
Oak Grove
Poovey's Grove
Rhodhiss First
Sunrise
Temple Hill





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1995
ANNUAL MINUTES



CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
INCORPORATED

Caldwell County
North Carolina



**1995 Meetings of the Messengers
CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, INC.**

FALL QUARTERLY MEETING

110TH ANNUAL MEETING

October 27, 1994

Dudley Shoals Baptist Church

Granite Falls, North Carolina

October 28, 1994

Central Baptist Church

Lenoir, North Carolina

Theme: "Plowing the Ground"

Rev. Robert Livingston, Moderator

Ann Hatton, Clerk

WINTER QUARTERLY MEETING

January 26, 1995

Meadowbrook Baptist Church

Lenoir, North Carolina

Theme: "Sowing the Seed"

Rev. Robert Livingston, Moderator

Ann Hatton, Clerk

SPRING QUARTERLY MEETING

April 27, 1995

Poovey's Grove Baptist Church

Granite Falls, North Carolina

Theme: "Cultivating the Field"

Rev. Bob Lowman, Jr., Vice-Moderator

Ann Hatton, Clerk

SUMMER QUARTERLY MEETING

July 27, 1995

Union Baptist Church

Lenoir, North Carolina

Theme: "Reaping the Harvest"

Rev. Robert Livingston, Moderator

Ann Hatton, Clerk

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ANNUAL REPORTS

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES COUNCIL REPORT

Floyd Annas, Director
Mount Zion Baptist Church

The Administrative Services Council assists the association in coordinating the work of the Associational Meetings, Communications, External Relations, Finance, History, Membership, Nominating, Personnel, Properties and Strategy Committees.

The council is one of three coordinating councils in the association. The director represents the council and the committees related to it, as a member of the Associational Council.

On September 6, 1994, the council held a workshop for associational committees at College Avenue Baptist Church. The purpose of this event was to discuss the role of committee members, their specific committee responsibilities and report on the work of their committees.

AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY REPORT

Mrs. Ruth Greene, Representative
Baton Baptist Church

During the past year our world has known much of despair, terror, hunger and death and witnessed events that brought destruction and chaos to every area of the globe. Many have lost everything through wars, famines, plagues and natural disasters. There are millions of people who have little else to cling to except hope. The American Bible Society is privileged to be a provider of this most sought after need in the world today by helping to provide "that hope that live on" (I Peter 1: 3b) to those who don't know Jesus Christ.

If the Word of God is to bring hope to peoples of the world, it must be made available to them in the language they can most easily understand. Therefore hope has come through further translation of the Scripture.

Rejoicing surrounded the launch of the Quichua Imbabura Bible in Ecuador in October 1994, when more than 6,000 people of all ages took part in a weekend celebration to welcome their new Bible. In Africa, too, there was great rejoicing in Gabon at July's launch of the yiPunu Bible. In Europe, the launch of the Basque Bible with the deuterocanonical books, October 1994 in Spain, was hailed as one of the most important cultural events of the century. Here in the United States a significant new translation appeared with the publication of the Gospel of Luke in Gullah, a Creole language spoken largely by African-Americans living in the southeastern coastal area of the country. The publication of the Common Language Pohnpeian Bible in Micronesian was another significant event and was the culmination of an interconfessional translation project which began in 1986.

At least one book of the Bible is now available in 2,092 of the world's languages and dialects. The complete Bible is available in 341 of these languages and the New Testament in 822.

The American Bible Society has shared a total of 6,671,479,223 Scriptures around the world since its founding in 1816. This figure amounts to approximately one billion more Scriptures than there are people on earth today. But as people grow and change over the years, so does the work and outreach of the American Bible Society. Languages change, circumstances of life change, and needs change, but hope always remains in the hearts of those who know the Lord. To provide this hope is the continuing mission of the American Bible Society.

ANNUITY BOARD REPORT
Rev. A.J. Singley, Representative
First Baptist Church of Whitnel

As the Southern Baptist Convention celebrated its 150th anniversary this June, the Annuity Board felt proud of its more than 77 years of serving those who serve the Lord. The Annuity Board offers security for pastors, other ministers, eligible church and denominational employees and their families.

Operating within its approved budget, the Annuity Board continues to fund its operations without subsidy from the Cooperative Program. All Cooperative Program money received is allocated by the Trustee Relief Committee to needy ministers and their widows. The operating budget is funded from earnings on assets.

The Church Annuity Plan provides financial security both before and after retirement. Its Protection Section, funded by state convention Cooperative Program dollars, includes supplemental disability and survivor benefits. State conventions also provide matching retirement dollars for eligible participants. This Plan, designed by Southern Baptists for Southern Baptist churches and associations, provides opportunities for tax savings, competitive investment returns and the flexibility to meet each participant's special concerns. At the end of May 1995, 37,076 participants serving 20,231 churches and associations were active in the Church Annuity Plan.

The Personal Security Program offers up-to-date insurance products to protect against the large and small bumps and scrapes of life. The program includes a Term Life Plan, Personal Accident Plan, Disability Plan and a choice of medical plans. This is a flexible program; coverage can be tailored to meet each family's unique needs. Each plan is available alone or in combination with other plans.

Nearly 22,000 church and associational staff members participate in the Term Life Plan. They have found this Plan provides the protection they need at a cost competitive with comparable plans in the marketplace. In this era of rising medical costs, Personal Security Program medical rates have not increased since 1992. Over 20,000 Southern Baptist church and associational workers enjoy the protection the medical plans provide.

With \$4.8 billion in assets and over 77 years of experience, the Annuity Board offers its participants security and stability. The Annuity Board recognizes each dollar represents retirement income or life and health protection for a Christian servant in a Southern Baptist church, association, state convention or agency. The Annuity Board's mission is unchanged; it exists to serve those who serve the Lord.

ASSOCIATIONAL COUNCIL REPORT
Rev. R. Dale Fisher, Director
Mount Zion Baptist Church

The Associational Council met five times during the year. The meetings were held on October 12 and December 13, 1994, February 15, April 12 and June 28, 1995. All of the meetings were conducted at the Baptist Center.

On October 12, an organizational meeting was held to discuss such things as minutes of council meetings, the annual planning process, the enlistment process for leadership, reporting of activities, and changes in the denomination. The calendar of activities for October, 1994 through January, 1995 was reviewed.

On December 13, the council met for an appreciation luncheon meeting. After eating together and reviewing the association's calendar for January through March, 1995, the

council discussed preparation of Cooperative Agreements for 1996, the upcoming listening sessions and the Montana Christian Ranch.

On February 15, the Associational Council began the 1995-96 Planning Process. The council reviewed the three listening sessions that were conducted by the Strategy Committee in January. In addition, two Cooperative Agreements recommended by the Missions Development Council were approved. These were requests for assistance for the LEO Ministry, sponsored by the New Life Baptist Church and the Hispanic Mission, sponsored by the Concord Baptist Church. Council members were encouraged to attend the Key Leadership Conference at Ridgecrest in May. The council was informed that the Caldwell Association has been linked with the North Carolina Baptist Hospital in an effort by the convention to better inform the people about the work of cooperative missions in North Carolina.

On April 12, the council discussed the association's calendar for April, May and June, 1995. The 1995-96 Annual Calendar and Budget form was distributed and discussed. During April, May and the first half of June, the councils are to meet and plan their work for the new associational year that will begin on October 1, 1995. Budget and calendar requests were due at the Baptist Center on June 16.

On June 28, the final meeting of the Associational Council was held. The proposed budget and calendar requests were reviewed and approved. The budget recommendations were sent to the Finance Committee, who considered them and presented them as a part of the total budget to the Messengers in July. The calendar for July, August and September was reviewed.

ASSOCIATIONAL MEETINGS COMMITTEE REPORT

**Rev. Dan Redding, Chairman
Center Grove Baptist Church**

The 1995 Quarterly Meetings of the Caldwell Baptist Messengers were held with the Meadowbrook Baptist Church on January 26, the Poovey's Grove Baptist Church on April 27, the Union Baptist Church on July 27, the North Catawba Baptist Church on October 26 (Session One) and the First Baptist Church of Lenoir on October 27 (Session Two). The meetings at North Catawba and First Baptist Church of Lenoir served as the 111th Annual Meeting of the Association.

The 1994-95 themes were chosen in light of the 1995 "Here's Hope. Jesus Cares for You" evangelistic effort. The themes began with the fall/annual meeting and concluded with the summer meeting. The theme for the fall meeting in 1994 was "Plowing the Ground". In 1995, the winter meeting theme was "Sowing the Seed", the spring meeting theme was "Cultivating the Field" and the summer meeting theme was "Reaping the Harvest".

On July 27, 1995, the Caldwell Baptist Messengers approved the meeting places for 1996. The Quarterly Meetings will be held with the Clover Baptist Church on January 25, the Crest View Baptist Church on April 25, the Temple Hill Baptist Church on July 25 and the Flemings Chapel Baptist Church on October 24-25.

The themes for the 1995-96 meetings will be "The Command to the Church: Worship, Disciple, Fellowship, Evangelize". "Worship" will be the focus in October, 1995 during the 111th Annual Meeting. In 1996, the January meeting will consider the word "disciple", in April the Messengers will look at "fellowship" and in July the program will emphasize the word "evangelize".

The Associational Meetings Committee is fully responsible for preparing the program, selecting and contacting program participants, and for choosing and preparing the location for each meeting. In order to do this effectively, the committee had scheduled meetings on November 29, 1994 and in 1995 on January 11, February 22, April 3, May 1, May 22, June 27, July 27, and September 7.

BAPTIST CHILDREN'S HOMES OF NORTH CAROLINA REPORT

**Donna Lail, Representative
Dudley Shoals Baptist Church**

For six-year-old Malinda, darkness brought sleepless nights listening to her mother's boyfriend beat her brother and sister — praying she wouldn't be next, watching her mom choose her lover's whims over her children's needs, and finally, being abandoned on Christmas Eve in pouring rain on a dirt road.

Her darkness, more than just a light switch clicked off, swirled with pain, fear, confusion and despair.

Today, a bright-eyed teenager living at Broyhill Home, one of four Baptist Children's Homes residential campuses, Malinda finally sees light. After becoming a Christian in 1992, she can forgive her mom and let go of her painful past. "Learning to deal with my issues is a lot easier since I became a Christian," said Malinda. "I'm happy here at Broyhill. The people believe in me, support me and are here for me."

Believing in children and families, offering light to pierce their darkness has been Baptist Children's Homes' goal since its beginning 110 years ago.

Serving 1,513 children and families in 1993-94 in 12 facilities across the state, BCH provides intentionalized programs of residential group care, emergency care, therapeutic camping, maternity care, teenage mother/babies, model day care and behavioral change for girls. Gaston County emergency care cottages in Dallas, operated on a yearly contract basis, were not renewed with BCH following Gaston County's decision to change the facilities' direction to a level of service BCH doesn't provide.

Commemorating 110 years of ministry, BCH published Intent to Serve, a history depicting the last decade of BCH's child-centered, family-focused services. Each church was to receive a complimentary copy in the Fall of 1995.

Founded in 1970, the Baptist Maternity Home in Asheville celebrated in October, 25 years serving over 900 young, unmarried, pregnant women who were given a quiet, supportive atmosphere to make decisions about their future.

A chapter of BCH life closed with the death of alumni, employee and friend Bill Sisk. Investing 52 years of himself, Sisk, who came to Mills Home at age 8 and returned to work on staff 42 years, died May 21, 1995. "An era has passed," said BCH President Michael C. Blackwell. "It's extremely unlikely Baptist Children's Homes will ever see another individual who invests himself so fully in this place as did my friend Bill Sisk."

Adding to the light, Baptist churches, through the Cooperative Program, designated gifts and the Thanksgiving Offering funded about one-fourth of BCH's \$12 million budget with gifts totaling \$2,934,304.

Trustee Jim Goldston held his sixth annual Goldston's Carnival for Children raising \$28,633 and providing two fun-packed days of rides, games, entertainment and food for children and area residents. "There is nothing more important in this life than children," said Goldston. "This is just one thing we can do to show our commitment, to put our feet to our prayers."

Putting words into action described numerous individuals who gave time and effort with special campus work project.

This year, the Friends of Children committee added a twist to their annual spring bus tour by pulling on gloves and work clothes to help beautify Odum Home in Pembroke and Cameron Boys Camp near Southern Pines.

A team of volunteers from Denver Baptist Church worked at Broyhill Home clearing brush, painting inside a cottage and building a storage shed; and at Kennedy Home tearing down an old gym built in the 1930's, restructuring an old picnic shelter into an arts and crafts center, removing old heating equipment from Biggs cottage and renovating family conference rooms in the gym.

"We pray about these kids, and we pray that we will be an example," said Allen Holmes, Denver Baptist's mission trip coordinator. "This is more important than any building or construction work."

Trustees, intent on strengthening BCH's leadership position and continuing its tradition of giving light to families and children, approved a \$10.1 million campaign, "Light Their Way," to raise money for special projects, operational needs and endowment. The campaign will run September 1995 - May 1997.

Many children, like Malinda, suffer in darkness. Many families linger in pain waiting for answers, waiting for help. Because of Baptists' support, BCH is able to "Light Their Way," offering hope, security and love.

BAPTIST FOUNDATION OF NORTH CAROLINA REPORT

Rev. Ed Price, Representative

Grandin Baptist Church

The messengers present at the Baptist State Convention meeting 75 years ago, when the establishment of the Baptist Foundation was approved, believed that the services to be provided by the Foundation could benefit both the individuals who would use its services as well as Christian purposes for which the Convention had organized many years.

With a well trained and dedicated staff, the Baptist Foundation is now in position to assist any Baptist church member who has a desire to preserve their estate for their families and provide greater financial service to their church, association, missions, Baptist institutions or the Convention in its program of work.

Those who have become involved with the Foundation thus far, many of whom no longer are alive today are providing critically needed resources for either their family members and/or the Christian causes they dearly love. In many instances their use of a trust or endowment fund has helped reduce income and/or estate taxes and increased the value of assets they left for their families at their death. In addition, they continue to provide for sharing the Gospel with the income from endowment funds they created while they were living.

Many North Carolina Baptist are today enjoying the benefit of increased retirement income through the creation of an annuity trust with the transfer of property or other assets which the Foundation sold and invested under guidance of professional managers. When these trusts were created, the individuals were provided tax benefits which enhanced their estates. In most cases, the income they now receive is greater than that received prior to starting the trust. At some future date of their choosing, the assets in trust will serve the Lord in ways chosen by the donors.

During the past year, an area manager was employed to serve the western portion of the state. A twelve-minute video, "Pillars of the Church", was prepared which shares through personal example how the Foundation can serve every church member. A copy of this video is available by request in writing to 201 Convention Drive, Cary, North Carolina 27511. Personal and confidential assistance is available by calling our office at 919-380-7334 or written request directed to the above address.

The total assets under management by the Foundation at the end of 1994 were \$47,312,575. A total of \$1,241,756 was paid to Baptist churches, institutions and mission causes during 1994. The amount paid to individuals from trusts, which will eventually pay to Baptist causes, was \$1,499,098 during the year. During the first six months of 1995, the total performance of the charitable endowment funds under management was 15.3% (annualized).

BAPTIST HOSPITAL OF NORTH CAROLINA REPORT

Dr. Howard Hawkins, Representative

Lakeview Baptist Church

Founded in 1922, Baptist Hospital is a missionary enterprise of the Baptist churches of North Carolina. The essence of our purpose is to carry out a ministry of healing as taught by Jesus Christ. We remain as fully committed to this mission as were our founding fathers. In the midst of changing health-care norms, we have not, nor will we, deviate from this mission. The following paragraphs report not only basic facts, but various results of how we have sought in the last year to remain true to our heritage while providing quality health care at affordable prices.

"THE BAPTIST"

Affectionately known to many simply as "The Baptist", our hospital now employs 5,544 members who comprise our healing team. We are joined with Bowman Gray School of Medicine and thus The Medical Center has over 9,000 employees making us the largest employer in Forsyth County. In fiscal year 1994-95, our 806-bed facility provided care for 23,712 inpatient admissions. Our rapidly growing Outpatient Department provided care for 557,511 patient visitors.

A NEW DIVISION: PASTORAL CARE AND CHURCH RELATIONS

In May restructuring created a new division with the consolidation of the departments of Pastoral Care and Church/Community Relations. This division consists of four ministry components which are listed below with a brief ministry synopsis:

Department of Chaplaincy and Pastoral Education:

Through spiritual and emotional healing to patients, families and staff, approximately 55,000 ministries were provided by our chaplains.

The Center for Congregational Health:

This rapidly expanding ministry to churches, pastors and staff, and congregational leaders also enables the training of intentional interim pastors. Also, training is provided for leadership and church consultants. Workshops and other events are held as well.

Department of Church and Denominational Relations:

This department serves as the liaison between Baptist Hospital and the churches, associations, and convention, as well as other church groups. By facilitating appointments, policy interpretation, understanding of our health care services, this function helps keep our vital bond with North Carolina Baptists strong. Mission dollars for benevolent care through this department in excess of 4,452,000 were given by Baptists to the Mother's Day Offering. This mission effort helps relieve the financial burdens of patients who have little or no healthcare insurance. This is truly a ministry of renewing hope in their lives and is a source of great joy for us.

Pastoral Counseling:

With increasing requests from churches and associations across the state, this ministry continues to expand. Our thirteen strategically located counseling centers provided 27,000 ministry hours last year.

POINTS OF EXCELLENCE AND PROGRESS

● **Financial Stewardship** - Annually Baptist Hospital's rate increases consistently are less than both the medical consumer price index for hospitals and general inflation. The most recent North Carolina Database Commission report comparing the average of charges at other in-state academic medical centers for our most frequent diagnoses reveals our charges are 21% lower. For all hospital statewide we are 7.7% lower on those same charges, despite treating the most critically ill patients from across the state.

● **QualChoice of North Carolina** - A managed care plan providing quality healthcare and patient physician choice. Established by the North Carolina Baptist Hospitals, Incorporated and Bowman Gray School of Medicine and Wake Forest University, QualChoice is now expanding to employers in our region.

● **Accreditation with Commendation** - This distinction was awarded us by the Joint Commission of Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations. With a grade of 96 we earned the distinction as one of America's most highly rated hospitals.

● **Emergency Department/Dietary Building** - With a Fall 1995 opening date this 300,000 square foot facility will expand our Emergency Department capacity to 70,000 visitors annually. It will also house a 35-bed Day Hospital, as well as a 900-seat cafeteria, and will double the proportion of private beds available to patients.

● **Comprehensive Outpatient Rehabilitation Facility** - A 64,000 square foot facility scheduled for completion in the Summer of 1996.

● **Sticht Center on Aging and Rehabilitation** - Housing a geriatric research and education center, geriatric day hospital and inpatient acute rehab beds, geropsychiatry, and adult acute psychiatry, a planned completion and opening date for this center is the Spring of 1996.

● **Home Health Solutions and Home Health Specialists** - Specialists provide at home care such as intravenous chemotherapy, pain management, nursing care, and physical and occupational therapy.

● **Community Hospital Assistance** - Baptist Hospital continues to develop relationships with hospitals and physicians in other communities inviting them to join our expanding healthcare delivery system.

A CLOSING WORD

Historical methods of delivering healthcare are changing in significant ways. We are constantly seeking to position ourselves to develop the methodologies, services, and delivery systems to meet these challenges. In the midst of the multiplicity of changes remain several treasured, time tested constants. Among these are our commitment to excellence and compassion in providing care, the demonstrated support of North Carolina Baptists, and most significantly, the providence of our Lord. Trusting in these, we move forward boldly and confidently into the future.

BAPTIST RETIREMENT HOMES OF NORTH CAROLINA

Jeff Annas, Representative
First Baptist Church of Hudson

"Making Life for Older Adults. . . The Best of Times"

As a result of the wonderful support given by North Carolina Baptists, 1995 will be remembered as one of the finest years in the forty-four year history of the Baptist Retirement Homes of North Carolina, Inc. The following are some highlights from the year:

In recognition of its commitment to the spiritual well-being of the residents that it serves, Baptist Retirement Homes hired Luther Osment of Sylva, North Carolina as its full-time Chaplain. Reverend Osment's work responsibilities include ministry to the residents of Brookridge Retirement Community in Winston-Salem and the Western North Carolina Home in Asheville.

Reaffirming its commitment to the idea that retirement should be a "step up" for Older Adults, the final phase of the renovation of The Taylor House Facility in Albemarle was completed in the Fall of 1995. The renovation of The Hamilton Baptist Home in Martin County was also begun in 1995 and hopefully will be completed by year end. When the renovation of The Hamilton Baptist Home is completed, all of the facilities operated by the Baptist Retirement Homes will be "state-of-the-art."

In recognition of the changing profile of institutionalized Older Adults (47% of the "oldest Old" in North Carolina suffer from some form of dementia), the Young Solarium addition was completed in the Fall of 1995. The Young Solarium will house a new small-group program designed to enhance the quality of life experienced by institutionalized Older Adults suffering from dementia.

In an effort to provide Older Adults with affordable care, a sub-acute unit was developed at the Prince Nursing Care Center in Winston-Salem. . . a unit where frail Older Adults can receive IV therapy, infusion, wound care and stroke and bone fracture rehabilitation outside of a hospital setting.

In response to the need to provide quality long-term care services to the ever growing number of frail Baptist Older Adults who may not need institutionalized care, the Baptist Retirement Homes developed a new home and community based service program, In Home Care, Inc. . . . the new service designed primarily to extend the amount of time that frail Baptist Older Adults can remain in the home environment.

Thank you North Carolina Baptists for helping us make life for Older Adults. . . The Best of Times!

BAPTIST WORLD ALLIANCE REPORT

Lena Bumgarner, Representative
Buffalo Cove Baptist Church

With much joy we greet you from Buenos Aires, Argentina. . . the site of the 17th Baptist World Congress where thousands of Baptist worldwide "celebrated Christ, the hope of the world!" The diversity and unity of Baptist life around the world was demonstrated, as delegates from 124 countries contributed to an outstanding Congress.

What is the State of the Alliance? Probably the best way to show this is by giving you images of this worldwide Baptist congress. . . a kind of stream of consciousness of Baptist activities, sorrows, joys and hopes:

Papua New Guinea: With joy we heard of the growth of Baptist among the Enga tribe . . . from an initial 300 baptized believers thirty years ago PNG Baptist have grown to 50,000 members today.

Albania: Delegates heard a report from the first Baptist from Albania to attend a BWA Congress, Together we shared the suffering of living in the first atheist state since 1944 and new hope that has come with the fall of this atheistic state in 1991. Now with 2 congregations in Albania Baptists are living in hope and proclaiming Christ to a spiritually hungry people.

India: Kukis and Nagas continue their tribal wars much to the distress of Baptist leaders. A Baptist Reconciliation Team will visit Manipur in September to help the peace process. In spite of conflicts the church grows in Northeast India.

Moldavia: Women in Moldavia have accepted the challenge of freedom to witness everywhere. They have started a ministry in the prisons where many lives have been impacted.

Rwanda: The sad state of refugees in Kivu and Bukavu remains. Millions are still in exile, many without hope. In spite of this within Rwanda, the Baptist Union has reconstituted itself and is making plans to re-structure Baptist life to continue the process of reconciliation and service.

Norway: Young people from Norway formed the largest delegation from their country and earned their own way. Baptist Youth are alive and well. . . and witnessing!

Myanmar: One of the largest delegations from Asia came from Burma.

Nepal: During the period of totalitarian rule communists escaped to Nagaland and there found Christ. Now they have gone back to Nepal and started 20 churches and 35 missions. . . with more than 2,500 members. This was the first Baptist congress to receive a delegate from Nepal!

USA: A basketball player from the Detroit Pistons shared his joy of meeting so many Baptists from around the world.

These are just a few pictures. The thousands of delegates from 124 countries each had an exciting story to tell of God's love and joy and the hope He brings. The following are other highlights of the congress which will show the maturing of Baptist around the world:

Evening Plenary Sessions: Great preaching at the evening services and at the communion service re-emphasized again for Baptists the centrality of preaching the Word. One African American summarized all the meetings for me. He said, "I like the BWA. It make Christ the center and brings us all together! We need this. I am going back home and have my church support the BWA."

Workshops: The BWA rented the Faculty of Law building as the venue for 30 workshops ranging from personal evangelism to social concerns, to women's issues to youth leadership. Most workshops were filled to capacity and some were overflowing — another indication that Baptists are concerned that their faith should be real.

Tribute to Billy Graham: Billy Graham has addressed almost every Baptist Congress since 1950. Unable to come to Argentina, Dr. Graham sent greetings by way of video stating, "I learn a lot from Baptist world congresses and I miss it when I cannot attend." He thanked Baptists for supporting his evangelistic ministries more than any other denomination and encouraged Baptists worldwide to support the BWA!

Who will fill the empty shoes? On Saturday evening a dramatic presentation asked the question, who would fill the empty shoes of the missionaries and evangelists from the past? At the conclusion of Korean evangelist Billy Kim's sermon, hundreds came forward to dedicate themselves to the task of world evangelism.

Albania, Cambodia, Mongolia, Nepal, Vietnam: These countries, until now closed to the Gospel had representatives for the First Time at a BWA Congress. Please continue to pray for these nations!

Love in Action: Baptists from around the world did not only stay together, but went into the streets, hospitals, orphanages and other institutions of Argentina to witness to Christ's love. A major open air evangelistic meeting was held at Plaza de Mayo. Baptists prayed, sang, and gave testimony to the power of Christ to change hearts and nations.

New President elected: Dr. Nilson Fanini, pastor and evangelist to the world, was elected President of the Baptist World Alliance. Thousands of Brazilians joined with the world to celebrate and to hear of his vision to encourage and engage Baptists in this last quinquennium before the end of the century in evangelizing the world in this generation! Please pray for our new president and the 12 new Vice Presidents elected from around the world!

What is the State of the Alliance? Judging from the congress in Buenos Aires, the BWA is doing well. We continue to need your support and encouragement. As Baptist movements grow in the "two thirds" world, more responsibility is put upon individuals, churches, and conventions/unions to financially support the BWA. The latest statistics show that there are more than 40 million Baptist believers in 190 Baptist Conventions/Union. This represents a Baptist community of well over 100 million.

Thank you for your support in the past. We need it again now as we plan for the 21st Century. As Billy Graham said, "Yes! I support the Baptist World Alliance!" Please join him and thousands of others as we enter this new quinquennium! Your contribution now would be a great encouragement to your BWA staff as we enter into a new era!

BIBLICAL RECORDER REPORT

Associational Staff

The headlines each day - Bosnia, O.J. Simpson, interest rates, tax overhaul, etc. - often include Southern Baptists. The secular media show special interest in our conflicts but all too often do not tell the whole story of the good things Baptists are doing. The Biblical Recorder tells the whole story - the many positive things people are doing in their churches along with the negative issues which cannot be concealed and ignored if we honor our heritage from yesterday and fulfill our mission for tomorrow.

There is no way to address these issues without correct and reliable information. The Biblical Recorder was born and continues to serve for that purpose. In the 162 years of state Baptist papers in North Carolina, never was the Recorder more needed than now for people to have the truth.

People are reading less than any time in recent history. It is true of secular publications, it is true of wholesome books from respected libraries, it is true of religious publications. We live in an electronic age where many think they know the answers to the issues only to discover they do not. It is impossible to know in depth what is happening when we depend on "60-second sound bites" of news on television or radio.

An informed Baptist is a better Baptist; an uninformed Baptist may be an uninvolved or disruptive Baptist. No democracy, including our local churches, can survive long

without an informed, involved constituency which makes decisions based upon accurate information from reliable sources.

The Biblical Recorder should be in every Baptist home in North Carolina. Your support as a subscriber and reader, coupled with your encouragement to others, will enable the paper to better serve the constituency with accurate and helpful information.

In order to save churches large amounts of money and to increase the readership of the Recorder, Church News Service (CNS) was launched in 1990. This system lets any congregation have their church news incorporated into the Biblical Recorder which saves staff time, postage and printing costs. Usually, for less than what it costs to produce the church newsletter, CNS gives the entire Baptist communication package to each family in the congregation. Recent and anticipated increases in mailing costs makes CNS a greater value in 1995-96 than when it was started in 1990.

The paper focuses more and more attention on North Carolina Baptists with news, features and inspirational articles which will encourage individuals and churches in their witness and ministry. One sure way to conquer problems and overcome the barriers to effective witness and ministry is to have the facts, know the issues and be adequately informed. With all the stress and disturbance in the world, "The North Carolina Baptist Way" has become even more important to us than ever before.

That is why the Recorder was born; that is why it serves today. For more information on how your church can subscribe or use CNS, contact: The Biblical Recorder, 232 West Millbrook Road, Raleigh, North Carolina, 27609, (919)847-2127.

BIVOCATIONAL MINISTERS CONFERENCE REPORT

Rev. Dale Matheson, Chairman
Indian Hills Baptist Church

The Bivocational Ministers Conference is one of eight fellowship groups in the association. It is for all ordained pastors and other ministers who have a secular vocation in addition to their church vocation.

The Indian Hills Baptist Church hosted a fellowship dinner for the ministers and their wives on Friday, May 12, 1995. Director of Missions Dale Fisher was the featured speaker.

On September 22, 1995, the Mulvale Baptist Church hosted another fellowship dinner for the bivocational ministers and their wives. The Reverend Tom Lolley, western area missionary for the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina was the guest speaker.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS REPORT

Rev. Robert Livingston, President
Yadkin Baptist Church

Ann L. Hatton, Secretary
Kings Creek Baptist Church

BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING
Thursday, October 6, 1994 — 7:00 P.M.
Caldwell Baptist Center

Joan Crouse
Dale Fisher
Ann Hatton

Present
Robert Livingston
Bob Lowman
Jamie Parsons
Jack Spainhour

Fred Pike
Joe Sims
Gene Woods

Absent
Jan Lail

MINUTES

1. Robert Livingston, President, called the meeting to order, welcomed those present and led in prayer. New Board members present were Joan Crouse, Bob Lowman, Joe Sims and Gene Woods.
 2. Copies of the job description for the Board of Directors members and copies of the Associational Organizational Chart were distributed by President Livingston.
 3. Copies of the minutes from the last meeting were also distributed. After reading the minutes they were approved as printed.
 4. Director of Missions, Dale Fisher, gave a brief report on the associational van, which was received on February 1, 1994. He stated that the van was being well used and maintained. He also reported that a Van Policy Committee is currently working on policies for the use of the van and that those will be presented to the messengers at the Winter Quarterly Meeting.
 5. Unfinished business:
 - a. Garage building — The Board agreed to continue with the plans to erect a garage building as soon as the property at Ridgecrest is sold. The garage building will be located on the property currently owned by the association on Nuway Circle.
 - b. Caldwell Cottage at Ridgecrest — The Board agreed to appoint a subcommittee which would be responsible for disposing of the property. Board member Joe Sims agreed to serve as a member of that subcommittee. President Livingston will contact Jan Lail and Rod Morrison to ask them to serve on the subcommittee also. Board members agreed to ask Jan Lail to chair the subcommittee. The motion was made and approved to ask the subcommittee to submit a progress report to the Board on or before March 15, 1995.
- DOM Fisher asked the Board if the electricity should remain in service at the property. Board members agreed that it would be best to leave the electricity in service because it may be needed in order to show the property to prospective buyers.
6. President Livingston reviewed the actions and assignments discussed at the meeting. Bob Lowman led in prayer and the meeting was adjourned.

**JOINT MEETING
of the
BOARD OF DIRECTORS
and
PROPERTIES COMMITTEE
CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, INC.**

Thursday, September 21, 1995

6:00 P.M.

Caldwell Baptist Center

PRESENT

Joan Crouse
Dale Fisher
Ann Hatton
Fred King
Charles Suddreth

Robert Livingston
Bob Lowman
Valerie McRary
Fred Nelson
Fred Pike

Pearl Setzer
Joe Sims
Jack Spainhour
Jan Lail
Gene Woods

ABSENT

Jamie Parsons

Harold Joplin

MINUTES

1. Robert Livingston, President, called the meeting to order, welcomed those present and led in prayer.
2. President Livingston informed those present that this is a special called joint meeting of the Board of Directors and the Properties Committee. The purpose of the meeting is to discuss the proposed sale of the Caldwell Cottage at Ridgecrest.
3. Minutes of the last meeting were distributed and approved by the Board.
4. Members of the Caldwell Cottage Committee dealing with this matter are Jan Lail, Robert Livingston, Joe Sims, Rod Morrison and Dale Fisher. The committee was chaired by Jan Lail. She reported that her committee had traveled to Ridgecrest on August 8, 1995 and met with Ridgecrest Director, G.W. Lankford to discuss Ridgecrest buying the property. Following the meeting, Rev. Fisher was contacted by Richard Bell on behalf of the Baptist Sunday School Board. Mr. Bell requested a letter of intent to sell which was supplied by Rev. Fisher. A copy of Rev. Fisher's letter is attached to the minutes.

The Administration of the Sunday School Board accepted the offer at a price of \$25,000.00, subject to the approval of the trustee body. The semi-annual trustee meeting will be held at Ridgecrest during the last week of September, 1995. This matter will be brought up at that time as a recommendation from the administration. Richard (Dick) Stone, an attorney in Black Mountain, will handle this matter for the Sunday School Board. A copy of Mr. Bell's letter is attached to the minutes.

5. Discussion and vote was held on the following issues:
 - a. **Sale Purchase Agreement** — Rev. Fisher was instructed to contact Ridgecrest to secure the name of someone to do the termite inspection. Board member, Fred Pike moved that the sales purchase agreement be accepted. Bob Lowman, vice-moderator, seconded the motion and it was approved.
 - b. **Contents of the Property** — Mr. Pike also moved that the contents of the building be abandoned. This motion was seconded by Rev. Lowman and approved by the Board.
 - c. **Selection of Attorney to Prepare the Deed** — Mr. Pike offered to serve as legal council on behalf of the association in preparing the

deed. Board member, Gene Woods moved that the Board accept Mr. Pike's offer to serve as legal council on behalf of the association. The motion was seconded by Joe Sims and approved by the Board.

An additional motion was made by Mr. Sims to authorize the treasurer, Jack Spainhour, to pay any fees incurred in preparing the property for sale. The motion was seconded by Jan Lail and approved by the Board. It was also agreed that if possible Rev. Fisher would instruct attorney Dick Stone to deduct any fees from the purchase proceeds.

6. Motion was made by Gene Woods that Dale Fisher and Robert Livingston travel to Mr. Stone's office to represent the association at closing. Jan Lail seconded the motion and it was approved by the Board.
7. It was agreed that the unfinished business concerning the erection of a garage building be turned over to the Properties Committee and dealt with at a later date.
8. Jan Lail moved that the October 5, 1995 scheduled annual meeting of the Board of Directors be canceled. Jack Spainhour seconded the motion and it was approved.

Mr. Pike moved that this meeting be deemed this year's annual meeting of the Board of Directors of the Caldwell Baptist Association, Inc. Bob Lowman seconded the motion. The motion was approved by the Board.

9. President Robert Livingston adjourned the meeting and Bob Lowman led the closing prayer.

Copy of Rev. Fisher's letter to Richard Bell, Sunday School Board Representative

August 31, 1995

Richard Bell
127 Ninth Avenue, North
MSN 125
Nashville, Tennessee 37234

Dear Richard:

It was a pleasure to speak with you by telephone on August 30. I appreciated your willingness to discuss with me the desire of the Caldwell Baptist Association to sell our cottage at Ridgecrest.

The cottage was purchased by the association on October 30, 1941. The building has two levels with a porch across the front. On the first level there is a kitchen, dining area and living area. The second level consists of seven bedrooms and two bathrooms.

In 1988, the association spent approximately twenty thousand dollars in renovations to the building. The major improvements included new vinyl siding, windows, showers, a water heater, plumbing and electrical wiring.

Since the cottage is located inside the Ridgecrest Assembly, it is our desire to give the Baptist Sunday School Board of the Southern Baptist Convention the first option to purchase the property. We believe that the land and building would be of greater value to Ridgecrest than to any other person or group.

Therefore, I have been authorized to offer the cottage to the Board for a selling price of \$25,000.00. However, we would be willing to accept a price between \$22,000.00 and \$25,000.00 as we discussed by telephone.

If you have questions please do not hesitate to call me. I have enclosed two pictures of the cottage, since you might be wondering what it looks like.

Sincerely,
Rev. R. Dale Fisher, Director
Caldwell Baptist Association, Inc.

Copy of Mr. Bell's letter to Rev. Fisher

September 6, 1995

Rev. R. Dale Fisher
Caldwell Baptist Association
P.O. Box 1555
Lenoir, N. C. 28645

Dear Rev. Fisher:

I hope that by the time you receive this letter, I have had the opportunity to talk with you on the telephone. I have received your letter offering to sell to the Sunday School Board the property the association owns at Ridgecrest Conference Center. We are accepting the offer at a price of \$25,000.00, subject to the approval of our trustee body. Coincidentally, we are having our regular semi-annual trustee meeting at Ridgecrest during the last week of this month. This matter will be brought up at that time as a recommendation from the administration. While I feel very confident that the matter will be approved, we both know how our institutions operate-in that nothing is finally approved until the appropriate trustee body approves it.

I have contacted Mr. Richard (Dick) Stone, an attorney in Black Mountain, to handle this matter for us. I have sent him a signed Contract For Real Estate, wherein we contract to purchase the property from the Association for the \$25,000.00, subject to the trustee approval. I think that you will receive a telephone call from Dick within the next few days settling any questions he might have. We would like to close this sale during the last week of this month, while I am at Ridgecrest for the trustee meeting, so anything you can do to expedite the matter would be appreciated.

Feel free to contact me if I may be of assistance to you.

Best regards,
Richard Bell, Director
Facility Management Department

BROTHERHOOD PROGRAM COUNCIL REPORT

**Earl Woods, Director
Mount Zion Baptist Church**

This has been a good and exciting year with all the planning, program events, sports activities, and participation in mission action and mission projects.

I am grateful and thankful for each of the men that make up the Brotherhood Council and for their dedication to the task. Without them, we would not have accomplished anything; also for Dale Fisher and his superb leadership.

The Baptist Men started the year off with a Prayer Breakfast at Lakeview Baptist Church which was a good one, but we are never satisfied with the number involved. The workshop at Mt. Zion was a success and well attended. The Prayer Breakfast in March, 1995 at Dry Ponds Baptist Church was informative with a lot accomplished through this time together.

The Brotherhood leaders attended training sessions during the year, trying to improve on our knowledge and skills. Earl Woods attended the Key Leadership Conference at Ridgecrest. John Burns and his R.A./Challenger leaders attended a conference at Caraway.

Baptist Men and R.A./Challenger leaders have had several opportunities to visit and share with different churches during the year. This is the reason we exist.

After much planning the R.A./Challenger Basketball Program got underway with 13 churches and 18 teams involved. It turned out to be a very good and successful year ending with a well attended Sports Banquet.

Boyd Cloer, our missions project director, has also been active in planning and involving others in different mission projects. He and Rev. Howard Barnes, along with their wives, have made several trips to Caswell and Camp Mundo Vista doing wiring in the buildings. Also, we have several men who have volunteered their skills to help out in needs of repairs, and new buildings. These men are known as the "Hope Builders."

Mr. Bill Elliot and a crew from Crest View Baptist Church, along with Mike Warlick and his crew from Clover Baptist Church spent a Saturday installing sheetrock, helping Harmony Baptist Church, a member of the Theron-Rankin Baptist Association.

Our Disaster Relief Volunteers, led by Pearl Setzer, have been limited to "show and tell" so far this year. Thanks to the good Lord, no disasters have occurred as of this time. We were involved in three different "show and tell" activities, one state-wide, one in our own association, and one in Stone Mountain Association.

All of the Brotherhood leaders and workers desire the prayers of the association.

Royal Ambassadors/Challengers

John Burns, Director
Union Baptist Church

I was very pleased with the support and participation we received from our RA/Challengers Council, Sports Committee and many of our local churches this past year. I especially appreciate Earl Woods' leadership, advice and help keeping us on track. T.H. Pope, Will Derrick, Marshall Fox and Rick Duffey worked hard in planning and conducting our Track Meet, Camparama and Field Day. T.H. Pope and I went to two churches in our association to introduce them to our Royal Ambassador and Challengers program and tools available. Marshall Fox, T.H. Pope, Earl Woods and I conducted a RA/Challengers workshop in the Brushy Mountain Association. Our Sports Committee (Dwight Joplin, Mike Moore, Lynn Parsons, Patrick Smith and Dennis Nelson) spent many hours planning and conducting the RA/Challengers basketball program and banquet.

LEO Ministries from New Life Baptist Church presented our annual Royal Ambassador/Challengers Conclave program at Meadowbrook Baptist Church on November 7, 1994, at 6:30 p.m. The Meadowbrook Baptist Brotherhood prepared an excellent hot dog supper and fed 103 Royal Ambassadors, Challengers and leaders. The "Highest Attendance Banner" was passed from Dudley Shoals Baptist to Clover Baptist and the "Highest Percentage Banner" was passed from Union Grove Baptist to Union Baptist.

At our "Fun Car Race" on Saturday, November 5, 1994, at Central Baptist Church Gym at 9:00 a.m., we only had thirteen to enter.

Eighteen teams from thirteen churches participated in our basketball program this season which began in November at Harris Chapel Baptist Church Gym. Thanks again to Dwight Joplin and Mike Moore for their hard work and long hours. Our Sports Banquet with award presentations was at Friendship Baptist Church, March 4, 1995. Randy Shepherd of Crossfire Ministries of Asheville, presented an excellent program on basketball handling, followed by his personal testimony. Several decisions were made following his testimony. The team winners were the following:

PLACE	SEASON	<u>Challengers I</u>	SPORTSMANSHIP
		TOURNAMENT	
1st	Mountain Grove	Mountain Grove	North Catawba
2nd	Temple Hill	Friendship	
3rd	Penelope/ Friendship (tie)	Temple Hill	

PLACE	SEASON	<u>Challengers II</u>	SPORTSMANSHIP
		TOURNAMENT	
1st	Dry Ponds	Mt. Zion	Blue Ridge
2nd	Mt. Zion	Dry Ponds	
3rd	Meadowbrook/ N. Catawba (tie)	Meadowbrook	

We had 97 cars from 16 churches enter the "RA Car Competition," on March 12, 1995 at the Granite Falls Recreation Center at 9:00 a.m. Trophies were given for the following:

		<u>Most Unusual</u>		
Lads:		Kody Townsend - Whitnel First		
Crusader:		David Barlowe - Hudson First		
LADS (40 entered)		CRUSADERS (30 entered)	ADULTS (27 entered)	
1st	Ross Turnmire, Mt. Zion	David Kincaid, Fellowship	Tim Call, Fellowship	
2nd	Jacob Biglow, Mtn. Grove	Kelly Johnson, Yadkin	Tony Walker, Mt. Grove	
3rd	Todd Mullis, Meadowbrook	Zack Starnes, Dry Ponds	Jeff Pope, Dry Ponds	

Our "Track Meet" for Crusaders, Challengers I and Challengers II was held at West Caldwell High School on April 23, 1995. Four churches participated in the event and North Catawba took home the first place trophy; Dudley Shoals took home the second place trophy and Dry Ponds took home the third place trophy. North Catawba and Union Baptist participated in the "State Track Meet" in Ashboro, N.C and brought home several ribbons. North Catawba Challenger II track team brought home the state first place trophy.

Our Camparama was scheduled for June 16-17, 1995. Thirty-three people from four churches participated. We gave 1st, 2nd and 3rd place ribbons for every event for every age group. Hartland took home three trophies and Clover and Dry Ponds took home one trophy each. The counselors and boys all had a good time and are looking forward to having our next Camparama on July 12-13, 1996.

On September 9, 1995, we had twenty-six boys and their fathers or counselors, representing only three churches, compete in our "Field Day" at Dry Ponds Baptist Church. It was a fun time and good opportunity for fathers and sons or counselors and boys to compete together in activities such as tug-of-war, softball throw, standing broad jump, 50 yard dash, sack race, air rifle and three-legged race. Our goal is to provide

fun activities that help to develop closer relationships between fathers and sons and/or counselors and boys.

I want to thank all of those who helped to make our year of 1994-95 successful. There is a strong desire to continue to improve our programs in order to be a more positive influence in the lives of young men. Please feel free to communicate to me any ideas or suggestions you may have that would make our 1995-96 year even more fruitful.

CHRISTIAN HIGHER EDUCATION

Rev. John Jernigan, Chairman
Central Baptist Church

The Baptist State Convention is 165 years old. For 161 of those years the Convention has been in the business of founding, adopting, supporting and nurturing Baptist colleges and universities. North Carolina Baptists are known for their broad and deep commitment to Christian higher education. Our seven Convention-related education institutions are: Campbell University, Chowan College, Gardner-Webb University, Mars Hill College, Meredith College, Wingate University and Wake Forest University.

For 1995 the Convention's Christian higher education budget is \$6,000,540 or 20.41 percent of the total. These funds are divided among six colleges. Wake Forest is not in the budget, but receives designated gifts from churches and shares in student financial aid funding through the State Missions Offering.

The 1994 enrollment in North Carolina Baptist colleges and universities was 22,473, with 4,075 graduates. Approximately 476 students were enrolled in church-related vocation studies.

CHRISTIAN LIFE COUNCIL

Rev. Lynn Parsons, Director
Harris Chapel Baptist Church

The Christian Life Council has the task of ministering to our Caldwell Baptist churches and to the community at large in areas concerning the Christian life. During the past year our ministry was performed through the following methods:

1. Letters or information packets mailed to Caldwell Baptist churches and pastors.
2. Newspaper advertisements addressing Christian Life themes published periodically.
3. Sponsoring the annual "Parade for the Hungry", which is an effort to raise funds and public awareness concerning world hunger. The 1994 "Parade for the Hungry" raised \$1,194.71. The total number of people participating in the parade was sixty-one representing seven churches.

The Christian Life Council desires your prayers and input as we seek to support the Christian life.

CLERK'S REPORT
Ann Hatton, Clerk
Kings Creek Baptist Church

FALL QUARTERLY (110th Annual) MEETING
of the
MESSENGERS
CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, INC.

Theme: "Plowing the Ground"



FIRST SESSION
Dudley Shoals Baptist Church
Thursday, October 27, 1994 — 7:00 P.M.

1. Kona Reid and Lois Whisnant, from the Dudley Shoals Church, presented an instrumental prelude as messengers and visitors gathered for the 110th Annual Meeting of the Caldwell Baptist Association.
2. The congregation sang "Rescue the Perishing" led by Darrell Richards of the Dudley Shoals Church.
3. The Theme for the meeting was "Plowing the Ground". David Payne, pastor of Flemings Chapel Church, gave the interpretation of the theme.
4. Rev. Don Ingle, host pastor, gave the welcome.
5. Director of Missions Dale Fisher officially presented the gavel to moderator Robert Livingston. He expressed appreciation to Rev. Livingston for the fine job he does conducting the meetings of the association.
6. Moderator Robert Livingston called the meeting to order, asked for the adoption of the program, recognized first time messengers and visitors and led in prayer.
7. New pastors or staff were recognized by Rev. Fisher but none were present.
8. The congregation sang "We Have Heard the Joyful Sound" followed by the collection of registration cards.

9. On behalf of the Membership Committee, Rev. Fisher presented the following recommendations from that committee. Both recommendations were approved by the messengers.

a. **RECOMMENDATION NUMBER ONE**

The Gethsemane Baptist Church has requested membership in the Caldwell Baptist Association, Incorporated. The Membership Committee has considered their request, met with members of the church and participated in their Service of Constitution.

The Membership Committee feels that the church genuinely wants to be Southern Baptist in faith and practice. Therefore, the committee recommends that the Messengers receive the Gethsemane Baptist Church as a full member of the Caldwell Baptist Association, Incorporated as of Thursday, October 27, 1994.

b. **RECOMMENDATION NUMBER TWO**

The Providence Baptist Church has requested membership in the Caldwell Baptist Association, Incorporated. The Membership Committee has considered their request, met with members of the church and participated in their Service of Constitution.

The Membership Committee feels that the church genuinely wants to be Southern Baptist in faith and practice. Therefore, the committee recommends that the Messengers receive the Providence Baptist Church as a full member of the Caldwell Baptist Association, Incorporated as of Thursday, October 27, 1994.

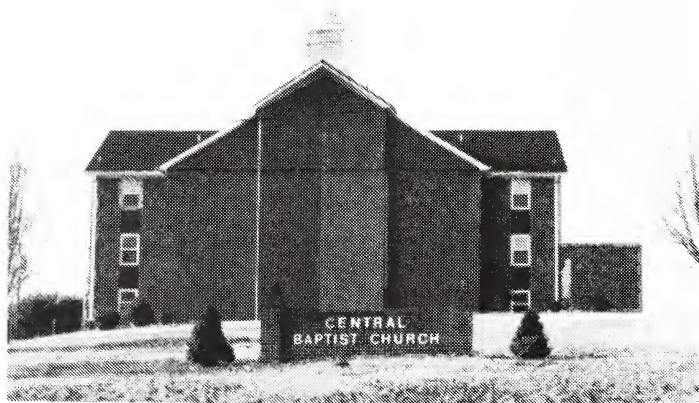
10. A brief report on the progress of the following Caldwell Baptists projects was given by various individuals.

- a. Reporting on the progress of the Baptist Retirement Home Project in Caldwell County was Rev. Fisher. He reported that the Steering Committee for the project is in place and will begin their work on Monday, October 31, 1994. He expressed an expectation of three to five years to complete the project.
- b. Dr. Paul Childers, pastor of the Concord Church, gave information on the Hispanic mission which is being sponsored by his church. He introduced the pastor of the mission, Rev. Renaldo Cantu and his wife Juanita, who were present. He also asked that all Caldwell Baptists pray for the mission.
- c. The Hospital Ministry, which is sponsored by the Missions Development Council of the association, was reported on by Darlene Townsend. The volunteers who have helped with the project were thanked but a urgent plea was expressed for additional volunteers.
- d. Paul Sizemore, pastor of the New Life Church, shared about the LEO Ministry which was started by his church. The prime objective of this ministry is to reclaim Caldwell County for Christ. This ministry is experiencing great success but as in all endeavors additional volunteers are needed. Rev. Sizemore invited all Caldwell Baptists to come and be a part of this ministry.
- e. Joann Propst, director of the Missions Development Council, shared a request from the Baptist State Convention for volunteers to go to

Kenya. She stated that 1,400 volunteers are needed to plant 100 churches in a 30 mile radius. The date set aside for Caldwell Baptists to share in this great mission opportunity is June 3 - 17, 1995.

After the reports were completed, Rev. Fisher led in a prayer for these projects.

11. Darrell Richards led the congregation as they sang "Set My Soul Afire".
12. Brooks Walker, from the North Catawba Church, introduced Dr. Roy Cooper. Dr. Cooper, missionary to Costa Rico, was the featured speaker for the evening.
13. Darrell Richards, Luda Richards and David Thacker, the Dudley Shoals Trio, presented special music prior to Dr. Cooper's message.
14. Dr. Cooper used Acts Chapter 8 as his text. He praised Caldwell Baptists for sharing in the ministry. He reminded them that with God's help it only takes ordinary people to do extraordinary things.
15. Vice-moderator, Bob Lowman gave the benediction and adjourned the meeting.



SECOND SESSION
Central Baptist Church
Friday, October 28, 1994 — 9:00 A.M.

1. The instrumental prelude was presented by pianist, Ronda Griffin and organist, Marlene Alexander. Both ladies are members of the host church.
2. The congregation sang "More About Jesus". Phil Duncan, minister of music for the Mount Zion Church, led the music for the second session.
3. Dr. Duane Kuykendall, pastor of the Mount Zion Church, read scripture from Joshua Chapter 1 and led in prayer.
4. Moderator Livingston called the meeting to order and again recognized visitors of first-time messengers.

5. Following the singing of the hymn "Send the Light" the ushers collected the registration cards.

5. Reports from the clerk and treasurer were presented to the messengers as information.

7. The following recommendations were presented to the messengers. Each recommendation was approved as presented.

a. **Missions Development Council Recommendations**

(1) The Missions Development Council recommends that the home mission trip scheduled for July 15-22, 1995 be changed to a weekend mission trip. The date will be given later when a suitable location has been found. It is difficult for some people to go on an eight day trip. Hopefully, this change will allow some hands on mission experience for those who have not had the opportunity to go in the past.

(2) The Missions Development Council recommends that the association sponsor a foreign, evangelistic mission trip to Kenya, sometime between June 3 - July 17, 1995. The Baptist Mission of Kenya has requested from the Foreign Mission Board, that 1,400 volunteers come to Kenya to help win 75,000-100,000 people to faith in Christ, and to plant 100 new Baptist churches in a 30-mile radius of the capitol city, Nairobi.

The project will involve training 1,500 Kenyan pastors and church leaders, doing one-on-one evangelism, stadium crusades, discipleship and possibly some church construction. The need is great and the Foreign Mission Board has requested and needs our help.

b. **Nominating Committee Recommendations**

Associational Leadership Nominees
October 1, 1994 - September 30, 1995

MISSION PERFORMANCE PROGRAM COUNCILS

Family Ministry Council

Secretary: Sherry Austin (FBC Hudson)

Missions Development Council

Secretary: Darlene Townsend (Buffalo Cove)

Music Ministry Council

Adult Coordinator: Rev. Gilbert Blackburn (Lower Creek)

Secretary: Steven Kelly (Union Grove)

Stewardship Council

Secretary: Lillian Young (Friendship)

Sunday School Council

Secretary: Donna Miller (Mount Zion)

Vacation Bible School

Middle Children: Alicia Raby (Friendship) and Janie Cloer (Friendship)

Woman's Missionary Union Council

Associate Acteens Director: Dawn Cole (Clover)

c. Strategy Committee Recommendation

The following amendments were presented to the Messengers a information during their Summer Quarterly Meeting on July 28 1994. The amendments have gone through the proper procedure fo presentation, discussion and vote during the Fall Quarterly/110th Annual Meeting.

Article VII: Organization and Leadership

Section 1.

D. ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES

2. Committees:

c. EXTERNAL RELATIONS COMM (Pages 171-172, 1993 Annual Minutes)

(Delete from second paragraph) "the General Board of the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina (two representatives)",

(Add a third paragraph)The current representatives from the Caldwell Association on the General Board of the North Carolina Baptist State Convention serve on this committee as ex-officio members. These representatives are selected and elected by the convention.

(Purpose: The current reading implies that the association selects and elects these representatives, which is not true.)

E. MISSION PERFORMANCE PROGRAMS (Pages 180ff, 1993 Annual Minutes)

Change "Mission Performance Programs" to "Church Assistance Programs" in all places mentioned.

(Purpose: The change in title better describes the function of these programs.)

Article VIII: Printed Material

Section 6. (Page 104, 1993 Annual Minutes)

Change "Uniform Church Letter" to "Annual Church Profile".

(Purpose: The Baptist Sunday School Board has made this change. The Uniform Church Letter no longer exists.)

8. During the time for miscellaneous business several announcements were made along with specific prayer requests. Following the prayer requests, Moderator Livingston, led in prayer.
9. Rev. Duncan led the congregation as they sang "Blessed Assurance Jesus Is Mine".
10. Various people shared a brief emphases on the following:
 - a. Bob Lowman, chairman of the Communications Committee, shared a new means of spreading the news and purpose of the association. Each quarter a bulletin insert called the "Communicator" will be made available to the churches. The insert will tell what has happened and what will be happening in the association. It will also keep before the people the purpose of the association.
 - b. "M" Night was the main emphasis shared by Discipleship Training Director, Bob Weathers. Dr. Jerry Sutton of the Two Rivers Baptist Church in Nashville, Tennessee will be the speaker.
 - c. Rev. Tom Small, director of the Pastoral Ministries Council, shared that the council is available to assist with any administrative needs the churches may have.
 - d. The 1995 Stewardship Conference was promoted by council director, Elsie Angley. The conference will be led by Talmadge Williams, Stewardship Development Director for the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina
 - e. The 1995 Sunday School outreach emphasis is called "Break Through Net 2". Associational Sunday School Council Director Phil Duncan shared June 1, 1995 as the date of the Associational Outreach Conference and July 11 for the 1995 Sunday School Rally.
 - f. Barbara Fisher, Associational Youth Director, gave an update of the 1994 "True Love Waits" campaign. She shared that 445 Caldwell youth from 41 Baptist Churches and 5 other denominations participated. A total of 271 youth made a public commitment to maintain sexual purity until marriage. In order to support the youth who made this commitment, each February a renewed emphasis will be placed on this campaign.
 - g. Caldwell WMU continued to do an outstanding job as reported by Council Director, Alma Helton. This year all North Carolina WMU will be sponsoring a food ingathering on February 12. Each church member is being asked to bring one can of food and one quarter. This ingathering will remain in our county to be used specifically for our needs.
11. Roy Holder from the Church Extension Department brought greetings from the convention office. He thanked Caldwell Baptists for their support through the North Carolina Missions Offering.
12. Donna Lail from the Baptist Children's Homes thanked Caldwell Baptists for their continued support of the Children's Homes. She also shared a few immediate needs at the Noel Home and Care House.

13. After a short break, Rev. Duncan led the congregation as they sang "Down At the Cross".
14. Rev. Livingston introduced the Director of Missions, Dale Fisher. Rev. Fisher brought the annual State of the Association message. He used as his text Matthew chapter 8, as he reminded Caldwell Baptists that as we do our work we must always "Come to Jesus".
15. Rev. Livingston adjourned the meeting. The host pastor, Rev. Jernigan, gave the benediction and instructions for lunch.

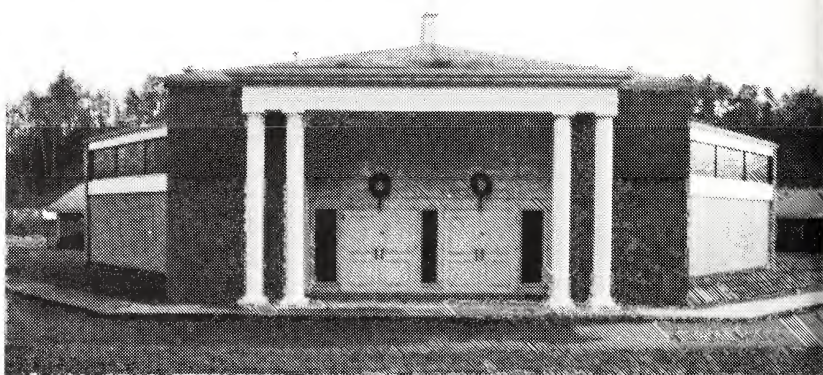
ATTENDANCE REPORT

169 Messengers - 27 Visitors - 196 Total Present

There were 25 pastors present and 45 churches represented.

*Baton - 3	*Buffalo Cove - 4	Calvary - 1
Center Grove - 3	*Central - 6	Clark's Chapel - 2
Clover - 3	College Avenue - 1	*Concord - 2
*Dudley Shoals - 15	Fellowship - 4	*Flemings Chp. - 3
*Friendship - 10 *	Gethsemane - 6	Grandin - 1
Grandview Park - 1	*Hartland - 5	Hudson First - 2
*Indian Hills - 1	*Kings Creek - 6	*Lakeview - 2
Livingston Mem. - 3	*Lenoir First - 3	Lower Creek - 4
*Meadowbrook - 1	Miller Hill - 4	Mount Carmel - 2
*Mount Zion - 10	Mountain Grove - 4	*Mountain View - 2
Mulberry -	*Mulvale - 2	*New Life - 2
*North Catawba - 12	*Piney Grove - 3	*Poovey's Chp. - 4
*Poovey's Grove - 6	*Providence - 8	Rhodhiss First - 1
*Setzer Creek - 7	*Sunrise - 2	Union - 4
Union Grove - 5	Whitnel First - 10	*Yadkin - 9
Visitors - 6	*Pastor present	

**WINTER QUARTERLY MEETING
of the
MESSENGERS
CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, INC.**



**Thursday, January 26, 1995 — 7:00 P.M.
Meadowbrook Baptist Church**

Theme: "Sowing the Seed"**P R O G R A M**

7:00 P.M.	Call to Worship "Great Is the Lord"	Meadowbrook Choir
7:05	Scripture Reading and Prayer	Duane Kuykendall
7:10	Welcome	Roger Beck
7:15	Call to Order	
	Adoption of Program	
	Recognition of visitors & first time messengers	Robert Livingston
	Recognition of new pastors and staff	Dale Fisher
7:20	Recommendation:	
	Bapt. Retirement Facility Proj.	Jeff Annas & Dale Fisher
	Nominating Committee	Jack Sprinkle
7:25	Reports:	
	Clerk	Ann Hatton
	Treasurer	Jack Spainhour
7:30	Miscellaneous Business and Announcements	Messengers
	Listening Sessions	Dale Fisher
7:35	Hymn No. 31 "Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee"	Congregation
	Collection of Registration Cards	Ushers
7:40	Special Emphases:	
	Brotherhood	Earl Woods
	Evangelism	Steve Parker
	Prayer	Roger Parker
8:00	Adult Day Care	Wayne White
8:10	Hymn No. 238 "To Worship, Work and Witness"	Congregation
8:15	Home Mission Board Report	Ella Keller
8:25	Rex House	Randy Garvey
8:35	Solo "In the Shadow of the Steeple"	James Jernigan
8:40	Message "Sowing the Seed"	Robert Livingston
9:00	Adjournment of the Winter Quarterly Meeting	Bob Lowman
	Benediction	

P R O C E E D I N G S

- Members of the Meadowbrook Church Choir sang "Great Is the Lord" as messengers and visitors gathered for the Winter Quarterly Meeting of the Caldwell Baptist Association, Inc.
- Duane Kuykendall, pastor of the Mount Zion Church, read scripture from Matthew chapter 13 and led in prayer.
- Roger Beck, pastor of the host church, gave the welcome.
- Moderator Robert Livingston called the meeting to order, asked for the adoption of the program and recognized first time messengers and visitors.
- Director of Missions Dale Fisher asked new pastors or staff and their spouses to stand. Those present were Rev. and Mrs. James "Bud" Jernigan from the First Baptist Church of Whitnel and Rev. David Bean from the Miller Hill Baptist Church. Following the recognitions, Rev. Fisher shared words of remembrance and led in prayer for Brother Hovis Allen, who passed away on January 25, 1995. Brother Allen was a member of the First Baptist Church of Hudson and had played an instrumental roll in the purchase of a disaster relief trailer and van for the Caldwell Association.

6. Jeff Annas, Baptist Retirement Home Representative for Caldwell Association presented a report on the progress which has been made on securing retirement facility for Caldwell County. He stated that a Steering Committee was in place and that work had begun on the project.

Dale Fisher, who is serving as the Chairman of the Baptist Retirement Facility Project, brought the following recommendation on behalf of that committee

The Steering Committee of the Baptist Retirement Facility in Caldwell County Project requests help from the Caldwell Baptist Association, Incorporated. It is requested that the Caldwell Baptist Messengers take actions on the following

The committee requests that . . .

- a. The Caldwell Baptist Association, Inc. become an active participant in the development of a Baptist retirement facility in Caldwell County.
- b. The association realize that the size of this project necessitates the involvement of many people, including persons from other denominations in our county.
- c. The association's director and staff be granted permission to work as needed on this project.
- d. The association give permission to its director and staff to use office equipment and supplies at the Baptist Center for this project as needed.
- e. The Caldwell Baptist Center be made available as a meeting place for the Steering Committee, subcommittees, and other groups related to the project.
- f. The association receive funds for this project in a special account until the project is incorporated and can receive funds itself.

A motion was made and seconded to accept the recommendation presented by Rev. Fisher. After allowing for a time of discussion, the recommendation was unanimously approved by the messengers.

7. Rev. Jack Sprinkle, chairman of the Nominating Committee, brought the recommendation from that committee on the 1995-96 Church Assistance Program Directors as well as additional positions needed for the 1994-95 associational leadership. All recommendations were voted on and approved by the messengers. The recommendation was as follows:

1995-96 Church Assistance Program Directors

October 1, 1995 - September 30, 1996

Brotherhood - Earl Woods

Christian Life - Lynn Parsons

Evangelism - Duane Kuykendall

Family Ministries - Michael Isaacs

Media Library - Bobbi Watson

Missions Development - Joann Propst

Music Ministry - Sherrill German

Pastoral Ministries - Tom Small

Prayer - Roger Parker

Seminary Extension - Wayne Bumgardner
Stewardship - Elsie Angley
Sunday School - Phil Duncan
WMU - Alma Helton

1995 VBS Team

Director - Nancy Martin
Middle & Younger Preschool Director - Donna Miller
Older Preschool Director - Karen Hoyle
Younger Children's Director - Cindy Wilson
Middle Children's Director - Alicia Raby
Older Children's Director - Angie Derrick
Youth Director - Angie White
Adult Director - Ken Mashburn
Backyard Bible Club - Marlene Alexander
Pastors - Richard Martin
General Officers - Mary Bentley

1995 Music Ministry Council

Music Fellowship Director - Brooks Walker

8. The minutes of the Fall Quarterly Meeting were presented by Clerk Ann Hatton. The messengers approved the minutes as printed. Messengers were reminded to pick-up their 1994 Annual Minutes and 1995 Associational Directory following the meeting.
9. During the time for miscellaneous business and announcements the following items were promoted:
 - a. Joann Propst reminded messengers of the national WMU project set for February 12, 1995. Every Baptist across the country is asked to bring one can of food and 25 cents to help feed the hungry. The associational WMU Council will distribute what is collected in Caldwell Association to the various ministries throughout the county.
 - b. Messengers were reminded by VBS Director Nancy Martin that the VBS Early Bird Clinic will be on Thursday, February 2 at the New Life Church. Pastors and VBS Directors were encouraged to attend this helpful planning meeting.
 - c. Rev. Fisher brought a motion to the messengers asking that the disaster relief funds which are being collected by the association for relief work in Japan (earthquake), Western North Carolina (flooding) and California (flooding) be given in memory of Hovis Allen, who had served as chairman of the association's Disaster Relief Committee. The motion was seconded and approved by the messengers.
 - d. Jeff Annas reminded those present that the 1995 offering for older adults will be promoted February 5-12.
10. Tom Macchia, minister of music for the host church, led as the congregation sang "Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee". Following the hymn registration cards were collected by the ushers.
11. Rev. Fisher invited those in attendance to attend one of the two remaining Listening Sessions which are scheduled in January. He emphasized that the

listening sessions are the beginning point of the 1995-96 associational planning process.

12. Brief reports were shared by Church Assistance Program Directors of the Brotherhood, Evangelism and Prayer Programs of the association. Each director gave a summary of their program's work.
13. Wayne White, pastor of the Oak Grove Church, reported on the Adult Day Care which is sponsored by his church and Blue Ridge Community Action. He introduced Stacy Richardson, who is director of the day care, who shared concerns and needs of the center.
14. The congregation sang "To Worship, Work and Witness" led by Mr. Macchia.
15. Greetings and information on the Home Mission Board were shared by associational representative Ella Keller. Ms. Keller reported that the Home Mission Board is celebrating its 150th birthday this year.
16. Needs and concerns of the Rex House Ministry in Caldwell County were shared by ministry director Randy Garvey. Rev. Garvey also expressed thanks to Caldwell Baptists for the support and help they have been in that ministry. Following the report, Rev. Fisher challenged all Caldwell Baptists to become active participants in that ministry.
17. The special music was performed by Rev. James Jernigan. He sang "In the Shadow of the Steeple".
18. The closing message was presented by Moderator Robert Livingston. Rev. Livingston used II Corinthians chapter 9 as his text as he challenged Caldwell Baptists to sow the seeds. He emphasized that by ministering to the body and meeting other physical needs we can gain the opportunity to ministry to the spirit of man.
19. The meeting was adjourned by the moderator and Rev. Ken Mashburn, pastor of the Setzer Creek Church, gave the benediction.

A T T E N D A N C E

122 Messengers — 47 Visitors

169 Total Present

There were 20 pastors present and 38 churches represented.

*Baton - 2	Blue Ridge - 1	*Buffalo Cove - 2
Calvary - 1	*Center Grove - 5	Central - 2
*Clarks Chapel - 6	Clover - 4	Dudley Shoals - 4
Fellowship - 5	Flemings Chapel - 2	*Friendship - 12
*Gethsemane - 4	Granite Falls First - 1	Green Valley - 2
*Hartland - 5	*Hudson First - 5	Kings Creek - 1
*Lakeview - 9	Lenoir First - 2	Livingston Mem-3
Lower Creek - 5	*Meadowbrook - 25	*Miller Hill - 4
*Mount Zion - 6	*Mountain View - 2	Mulberry - 2
*Mulvale - 2	*North Catawba - 5	*Oak Grove - 5
Piney Grove - 2	*Pooveys Chapel - 3	Rhodhiss First - 1
*Setzer Creek - 5	Union - 5	Union Grove - 5
*Whitnel First - 6	*Yadkin - 7	Visitor - 1
	*Pastor attended	

**SPRING QUARTERLY MEETING
of the
MESSENGERS
CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, INC.**



**Thursday, April 27, 1995 — 7:00 P.M.
Poovey's Grove Baptist Church**

Theme: "Cultivating the Field"

P R O G R A M

7:00 P.M.	Call to Worship	Roger Mercer
7:05	Theme Interpretation and Prayer	David Bean
	Welcome	Roger Mercer
7:15	Call to Order	
	Adoption of Program	
	Recognition of visitors and first time messengers	Bob Lowman
7:20	Recognition of new pastors and staff	Dale Fisher
	Hymn "To God Be the Glory"	Congregation
	Collection of Registration Cards	Ushers
7:25	Recommendation:	
	Nominating Committee	Jack Sprinkle
7:30	Reports:	
	Clerk	Ann Hatton
	Treasurer	Jack Spainhour
7:45	Special Emphases:	
	Media Library	Bobbi Watson
	Music Ministry	Sherrill German
7:50	Miscellaneous Business and Announcements	Messengers
7:55	Hymn "Rescue the Perishing"	Congregation
8:00	Prayer for Here's Hope Revivals	Dale Fisher
8:10	Annuity Board	Dr. Talmadge Williams
8:25	Senior Adult Choir Concert	
9:00	Adjournment of the Spring Quarterly Meeting	Bob Lowman
	Benediction	

PROCEEDINGS

1. Host pastor, Roger Mercer, gave the welcome and sang a beautiful song for the call to worship as messengers and visitors gathered for the Spring Quarterly Meeting of the Caldwell Baptist Association, Inc.
2. David Bean, pastor of the Miller Hill Church, read scripture from 1 Corinthians chapter 3 and led in prayer.
3. Vice-moderator, Bob Lowman, called the meeting to order, asked for the adoption of the program and recognized first time messengers and visitors.
4. Following the recognitions, Rev. Lowman asked the congregation to observe a moment of silence as the victims in the Oklahoma bombing were remembered. Rev. Lowman led in prayer for all those who have been touched by this tragedy.
5. Director of Missions Dale Fisher gave any new pastors or staff the opportunity to be recognized but none were present. He asked everyone to remember the Floyd Bumgarner family and the Mount Carmel Church in prayer. Rev. Bumgarner passed away unexpectedly on March 7, 1995.
6. Mikie Moore, minister of music for the host church, led as the congregation sang "To God Be the Glory". Following the hymn registration cards were collected by the ushers.
7. Jack Sprinkle, Chairman of the Nominating Committee, brought the recommendation from that committee for the 1995-96 Associational Leadership. The recommendation had two additions, (1) Ralph Staton was added to the Membership Committee and (2) Dean Harrold was added to the Ministers and Wives Fellowship Group Planning Committee. Motion was made and seconded. All nominations were approved. The complete report of that committee will be printed in full in the 1995 Annual Minutes of the Caldwell Baptist Association, Inc.
8. Clerk Ann Hatton gave the report of the Winter Quarterly Meeting followed by a brief report from Treasurer Jack Spainhour. Mr. Spainhour praised the messengers for their generosity to the association and encouraged them to continue making their gifts. These reports were given to the messengers as information.
9. Bobbi Watson, director of the Media Library Council, and Sherrill German, director of the Music Ministry Council, gave reports from their councils. Each director told the activities their councils have sponsored and offered their assistance to any church who may have a need.
10. During the time for miscellaneous business, Joann Propst reported that a coach and accommodations have been arranged for those interested in attending the 1995 Southern Baptist Convention in Atlanta. She reported that there was only a limited amount of space and that reservations must be made immediately.
11. The congregation sang "Rescue the Perishing" led by Mikie Moore.
12. Rev. Fisher praised the churches for their efforts during the "Here's Hope" Revivals. He then led in prayer for the revivals and encouraged the churches to continue praying for the revivals.

13. Dr. Talmadge Williams, director of Minister's Support for the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina, spoke on the importance of the annuity program offered by the Southern Baptist Convention. He gave highlights about the program and encouraged everyone who is eligible to participate.
14. A Senior Adult Choir, made up of members from several different churches, warmed our hearts as they presented the musical "The Time of Our Lives". The choir was led by Ken Little, retired music director from College Avenue Church and accompanied by Gale Little, organist for College Avenue Church.
15. Bob Lowman adjourned the meeting and led the benediction.

A T T E N D A N C E

92 Messengers — 33 Visitors

139 Total Present

There were 14 pastors present and 35 churches represented.

Buffalo Cove - 1	Calvary - 1	Center Grove - 2
*Central - 3	*Clarks Chapel - 6	College Avenue - 17
Dudley Shoals - 3	Fellowship - 2	Flemings Chp. - 2
Friendship - 3	*Gethsemane - 4	Hartland - 2
*Kings Creek - 8	Lakeview - 4	Livingston Mem- 2
Lenoir First - 1	Lower Creek - 12	Meadowbrook - 2
*Miller Hill - 5	*Mount Zion - 7	*Mountain View - 1
Mulberry - 2	*Mulvale - 2	*North Catawba - 4
Oak Grove - 4	Piney Grove - 2	*Pooveys Chp. - 2
*Pooveys Grove - 12	*Providence - 1	Rhodhiss First - 1
*Setzer Creek - 1	Union - 2	Union Grove - 6
Whitnel First - 4	*Yadkin - 6	Visitors - 2
	*Pastor present	

SUMMER QUARTERLY MEETING of the MESSENGERS CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, INC.



**Thursday, July 27, 1995 — 7:00 P.M.
Union Baptist Church**

Theme: "Reaping the Harvest"**P R O G R A M**

7:00 P.M.	Call to Worship	Tim Hawkins, Neil Leslie & Matt Pennell
7:05	Theme Interpretation	David Payne
	Welcome	Richard Martin
7:15	Call to Order	
	Adoption of Program	
	Recognition of Visitors and Messengers	Robert Livingston
7:20	Recognition of New Pastors and Staff	Dale Fisher
	Hymn No. 283 "Rescue the Perishing"	Congregation
	Collection of Registration Cards	Ushers
7:25	Reports:	
	Clerk	Ann Hatton
	Treasurer	Judy Brittain
7:30	Special Projects:	
	Retirement Facility	Dale Fisher
	Bible Course	
7:40	Recommendations:	
	Associational Meetings Committee	David Payne
	Associational Council	Dale Fisher
	Finance Committee	Neil Annas
	Missions Development Council	Joann Propst
	Nominating Committee	Jack Sprinkle
8:00	Miscellaneous Business and Announcements	Messengers
8:05	Associational Ministries:	
	Christian Life	Lynn Parsons
	Strategy Committee	Carol Auton
8:15	Hymn No. 302 "Set My Soul Afire"	Congregation
8:20	Family of Churches Praying Together	Dale Fisher
8:25	Special Music	Tim Hawkins, Neil Leslie & Matt Pennell
8:30	Message: "Lay Renewal Revivals"	Chic Byrd
9:00	Adjournment of the Summer Quarterly Meeting	Robert Livingston
	Benediction	

P R O C E E D I N G S

1. The trio, "Second to None," gave the call to worship as messengers and visitors gathered for the Summer Quarterly Meeting. Tim Hawkins, Neil Leslie and Matt Pennell, from the Lenoir Community Ch., are the members of the trio.
2. David Payne, Pastor of the Flemings Chapel Baptist Church, gave the theme interpretation. He used John 4:35 and Matthew 9:38 as his scripture references.
3. Pastor of the host church, Richard Martin, gave the welcome.
4. Moderator Robert Livingston called the meeting to order, asked for the adoption of the program and recognized visitors and messengers. The program was adopted with one change. David Payne gave the theme interpretation on behalf of Tom Small. Rev. Small was sick and unable to attend the meeting.
5. Director of Missions Dale Fisher recognized new pastors and staff. Retired minister Gwyn Sullivan, who has recently returned to Lenoir, was the only new pastor or staff minister present.

6. Rodney Smith, minister of music for the host church, led as the congregation sang "Rescue the Perishing". Following the hymn registration cards were collected by the ushers.
7. Reports from Clerk Ann Hatton and Financial Secretary Judy Brittain were given to messengers as information.
8. Two special projects, which have been or are currently under way, were reported by Dale Fisher. The following were his reports:

- a. Retirement Facility In Caldwell County

On May 8, 1995, the Steering Committee for this project met to make a decision on whether to continue with the retirement project or not. After considerable discussion, a motion was made to "postpone the work of the committee indefinitely".

Another retirement facility is being planned for the county and two current facilities are seeking to expand. Because of these factors and others, the committee has decided to indefinitely wait to see what develops.

- b. Bible Course to be taught in Caldwell County Schools

The Caldwell Schools Bible Association has been formed in Caldwell County to help provide for the teaching of an elective course in the Bible in the high schools of the Caldwell County school system. The association is open to all concerned citizens interested in the teaching of Bible in our schools. We have approval from the school system regarding this program, money is being raised, and prospective teachers are being interviewed in order to start this fall.

If you desire more information about this exciting opportunity, or would like to support this program, you are welcome to attend the next information meeting which will be held on Tuesday, August 8 at 4:00 p.m. The meeting will be held at the Caldwell County Education Center.

To help make this course a success, you need to consider how you, or your church or organization might be involved in financial support. If you already are convinced that knowledge about the Bible can make a difference in the lives of young people in our community, consider pledging a one-time or continuing amount to: Caldwell County Schools on behalf of the Bible Course.

9. Recommendations

- a. David Payne, member of the Associational Meetings Committee, brought the following recommendation from that committee. The recommendation was approved.

Fall (Annual) Quarterly Meeting
Session One: North Catawba Baptist Church
Thursday, October 26, 1995 — 7:00 P.M.
Session Two: First Baptist Church of Lenoir
Friday, October 27, 1995 — 9:00 A.M.
-Lunch-

Theme: "The Command to the Church: WORSHIP, Disciple,
Fellowship, Evangelize"

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Winter Quarterly Meeting
Clover Baptist Church
Thursday, January 25, 1996 — 7:00 P.M.

Theme: "The Command to the Church: Worship, DISCIPLE,
Fellowship, Evangelize"

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Spring Quarterly Meeting
Crest View Baptist Church
Thursday, April 25, 1996 — 7:00 P.M.

Theme: "The Command to the Church: Worship, Disciple,
FELLOWSHIP, Evangelize"

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Summer Quarterly Meeting
Temple Hill Baptist Church
Thursday, July 25, 1996 — 7:00 P.M.

Theme: "The Command to the Church: Worship, Disciple,
Fellowship, EVANGELIZE"

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Fall Quarterly (Annual) Meeting
Session One: Flemings Chapel Baptist Church
Thursday, October 24, 1996 — 7:00 P.M.

Session Two: Flemings Chapel Baptist Church (?)
Friday, October 25, 1996 — 9:00 A.M.
-Lunch-

*The location for session two depends on a proposed change in the Association's Bylaws. The change would permit the messengers to meet in one location for their Fall Quarterly (Annual) Meeting instead of two places.

- b. Associational Council Director Dale Fisher brought the following recommendation from that council. The recommendation was approved.

One of the responsibilities of the Associational Council is to prepare an annual Associational Calendar of Activities and to present it to the messengers for consideration during their Summer Quarterly Meeting. It takes several months of work each year to accomplish this task.

The Associational Council recommends:

- (1) That the 1995-96 Calendar of Activities for the Caldwell Baptist Association, Incorporated be approved by the messengers as presented.

- (2) That permission be given to the Associational Council and the associational staff to make necessary changes to the calendar as needed.
- (3) That the Associational Goals for the 1995-96 Special Offerings be approved as printed on page 31 of the Calendar of Activities.

c. The Finance Committee, chaired by Neil Annas, brought the following recommendations. All recommendations were approved and there was no discussion.

No. 1 - The Finance Committee recommends that the association use current operating funds to retire the debt owed First Union National Bank for the 1994 Chevrolet Van purchased on January 31, 1994. The outstanding balance as of July 14, 1995 is \$ 14,791.98. Payment of this loan will cause the association to be free of debt.

No. 2 - The Caldwell County School System has given approval for a Bible course to be taught in the high schools. The school system can provide the space for the course, but the community must pay for the cost of the teacher.

A "Caldwell Schools Bible Association Steering Committee" has been formed to work out the details and raise the money for the cost of the teacher. Great progress has been made in getting the course underway for the 1995-96 School Year.

It will cost \$15,000.00 - \$17,000.00 annually for a qualified, part-time teacher. Churches and individuals are being asked to support this course verbally, prayerfully and financially.

The Finance Committee recommends that the association show its support for this effort by paying the first month of the cost for the teacher, which would be \$1,700.00. The committee recommends that the \$1,700.00 be taken from current operating funds and be sent to Caldwell County Schools by August 4, 1995.

No. 3 - The Finance Committee recommends approval of the 1995-96 Ministry Budget as printed in the Summer Book of Reports. The approved budget will be printed in the 1995 Annual Minutes.

d. Joann Propst, director of the Missions Development Council, brought the following recommendation from her council. The recommendation was approved.

A recommendation will be presented to the General Board of the Baptist State Convention in September concerning a five-year partnership with the Baptist Union of Southern Africa. If approved, the same motion will be presented to the Messengers attending the 1995 Annual Meeting of the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina in November.

The Missions Development Council recommends that the Caldwell Baptist Association be involved in this partnership, provided the vote is in the affirmative by the General Board and the Messengers to the annual meeting. It will be required by the State Convention that associations vote to participate.

- e. The following additions to the 1995-96 Associational Leadership were presented by Nominating Committee Chairman Jack Sprinkle. The printed additions plus one verbal addition were approved. The addition not printed was Wallace Cozort from Nelson's Chapel Baptist Church as a member of the Nominating Committee.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES

History Committee
Nancy Isaacs (Yadkin Church) 1998
130 Hillwood Drive, Lenoir, N. C. 28645 (754-7437)

FELLOWSHIP GROUPS

Secretaries Fellowship Group Planning Committee
Ann Hatton (Kings Creek Church)
P.O. Box 1555, Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (758-4081)

Judy Brittain (CBA Staff)
P.O. Box 1555, Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (758-4081)

CHURCH ASSISTANCE PROGRAM COUNCILS

Brotherhood Program Council
Younger Challengers Director: Marshall Fox (Dry Ponds Church)
488 Circle Drive, Hudson, N.C. 28638 (728-6485)

Discipleship Training Program Council
Assistant Director: Rev. Mark Blair (Friendship Church)
Route 2, Box 486-X, Hudson, N.C. 28638 (728-5121)

Missions Development Council
Promotion Director: Rev. Dale Matheson (Indian Hills Church)
P.O. Box 2580, Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (758-4036)

Survey Director: Mary Lindsay (FBC Hudson)
Route 2, Box 384-E, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630 (728-2674)

Foreign Missions Promotion & Projects Dir.: Rev. Robert Livingston (Yadkin Ch.)
P.O. Box 37, Patterson, N.C. 28661 (754-6000)

1996 Green Mountain Park Resort Coordination Teams
March — Gwyn Sullivan
July — Zeno Hames
June/October — Lawrence Robertson

Seminary Extension Program Council
Director: Kathryn Cloer (Friendship Church)
239 Hudson Cajahs Mountain Road, Hudson, N.C. 28638 (728-4746)

Sunday School Program Council

Associational VBS Team

Older Preschool Director: Karen Hoyle (New Life Church)

26 Kingswood Estates, Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (758-2047)

Younger Children's Director: Mary Bentley (Crest View Church)

Route 8, Box 382, Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (758-4076)

Middle Children's Director: Alicia Raby (Friendship Church)

2011 Hampton Heights, Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (757-0922)

Older Children's Director: Angie Derrick (Union Church)

Route 16, Box 206, Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (757-0082)

Youth Director: Angie White (Union Church)

Route 2, Box 768-B, Apt. C-1, Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (757-3940)

Adult Director: Rev. Ken Mashburn (Setzer Creek Church)

Route 10, Box 752, Lenoir, N. C. 28645 (758-4856)

Pastors/Evangelism: Rev. Richard Martin (Union Church)

Route 2, Box 330, Lenoir, N. C. 28645 (758-1345)

General Officers: Mary Bentley (Crest View Church)

Route 8, Box 382, Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (758-4076)

10. During the time for miscellaneous business and announcements, Joann Propst reminded those present of the 1995 Home Mission Trip which is scheduled for August 18-20. This year's trip will be to Chapmanville, West Virginia.
11. Lynn Parsons, director of the Christian Life Council, gave highlights of that council's activities. Special emphasis was given to the Walk for the Hungry which is scheduled for October 7, 1995.
12. Strategy Committee member, Carol Auton, presented to messengers for their information a recommendation which will be coming from that committee at the Fall Quarterly (Annual) Meeting. Action will be taken on the following information at that time.

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE ASSOCIATION'S CONSTITUTION AND BYLAWS

The following amendments to the Constitution and Bylaws of the Caldwell Baptist Association, Inc. are presented as information to the Messengers from the Strategy Committee. Discussion and vote will take place on Friday, October 27, 1995 during the Fall/Annual Meeting of the Messengers. The meeting will begin at 9:00 a.m. at the First Baptist Church of Lenoir.

Constitution and Bylaws of the

Caldwell Baptist Association, Incorporated

Constitution

Article IV: Purpose Statement

We Associate ourselves to assist member churches in fulfilling the Great Commission of Christ through fellowship, education and mission involvement.

(Change "Purpose" to "Mission". The word "mission" is a more appropriate term in modern usage.)

Bylaws Article III: Finances

Section 3. The treasurer is to present to the messengers a current financial report clearly showing all receipts and disbursements during each quarterly meeting of the association. During the quarterly meeting in October, an annual financial report is to be presented. The treasurer is to provide a monthly financial report in the associational newsletter including the contributions of each church in the association.

(Delete the underlined sentence. This will allow more space in the newsletter.)

Article V: Meetings

Section 1. The messengers of the association meet quarterly to receive information and reports and to transact the business of the association. The meetings are held in October (Fall Meeting), January (Winter Meeting), April (Spring Meeting), and July (Summer Meeting). The meetings in January, April and July are night meetings which are held on the fourth Thursday of each month. The meeting in October is considered the Annual Meeting of the association and is conducted on the fourth Thursday and Friday of October.

The first session of the Annual Meeting is held on Thursday night. The second (final) session is conducted on Friday morning, concluding at lunch. The annual meeting is to be held in one church on Thursday and in another church on Friday. The association is responsible for providing lunch for the messengers on Friday. The association has the option of charging for the meal on a cost recovery basis, or may pay for the meal out of the associational budget.

(Delete the underlined sentence. This will allow the Associational Meetings Committee to have the Annual Meeting in one church.)

Article VII: Organization and Leadership

E. CHURCH ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS

2. Councils:

- c. The Discipleship Training Council assists the churches in starting, improving and expanding Christian discipleship through their Discipleship Training programs.

(Delete underlined word. The word "training" is being dropped throughout the conventions. The reason is that discipleship and training are fairly synonymous in meaning.)

F. FELLOWSHIP GROUPS

2. Groups:

- d. The Ministers and Wives' Quarterly Fellowship Group is for all Caldwell Baptist Ministers and their spouses.

(Delete underlined word. The committee that plans the fellowships would like to offer two fellowships instead of four.

13. The congregation, led by Rodney Smith, sang "Set My Soul Afire".
14. Following a brief introduction of the trio "Second to None" and guest speaker Chic Byrd, Rev. Fisher asked messengers and visitors to divide into small groups for a time of prayer. After the groups had prayed individually Rev. Fisher closed the prayer time.
15. Tim Hawkins, Neil Leslie and Matt Pennell sang three selections as the special music.
16. Chic Byrd, representative from North Carolina Baptist Men, spoke about "Lay Renewal". He challenged those present to ask themselves "What kind of church are we building in this place at this time for Caldwell County?" He reminded us that the greatest potential a church possesses is the laity that for most part just sits in the pew. Lay Renewal can be a vital tool in helping the church to equip these members to minister in today's society.

A T T E N D A N C E

86 Messengers — 12 Visitors
98 Total Present

There were 11 pastors present and 30 churches represented.

Blue Ridge - 1	Calvary - 1	Central - 1
*Clarks Chapel - 6	Clover - 1	Dry Ponds - 1
Dudley Shoals - 6	*Fellowship - 3	*Flemings Chp. - 3
Friendship - 4	*Gethsemane - 3	*Harris Chapel - 2
Hartland - 6	Hudson First - 2	*Kings Creek - 2
Lakeview - 4	Lenoir First - 1	Lower Creek - 5
Meadowbrook - 3	*Mt. Zion - 4	*North Catawba - 2
Oak Grove - 3	Piney Grove - 2	Rhodhiss First - 1
Setzer Creek - 2	Temple Hill - 1	*Union - 12
Union Grove - 3	Whitnel First - 2	*Yadkin - 6
Visitors - 5	*Pastors present	

COMMUNICATIONS COMMITTEE

Rev. Bob Lowman, Chairman
Kings Creek Baptist Church

The Communications Committee met on October 18 and November 29, 1994 to do its work. The committee developed a bulletin insert called "The Communicator" during these meetings.

In addition, plans were made for involvement in the four annual Christmas parades in Caldwell County. It was decided that we would involve ourselves in two parades per year. In 1994, 1996, etc. we would enter the parades in Lenoir and Hudson. In 1995, 1997, etc. we would participate in the Sawmills and Granite Falls parades. The disaster relief trailer pulled by the association's van was the entry in 1994.

DIRECTOR OF MISSIONS**Rev. R. Dale Fisher****Mount Zion Baptist Church**

The word "association" has been defined as an organized body of people who have some interest, activity, or purpose in common. I would like to develop the meaning of this special word as we close one associational year and start another one.

- A - The letter "A" reminds me of activities. Each year a "Calendar of Activities" is prepared to show the many opportunities that are available for the churches. The calendar is a tool for ministry, designed to get things done. This tool, like others, is only good if it is used. The calendar is presented in July each year to the Messengers for their consideration. Once approved it is available to Caldwell Baptist Churches at no cost and in unlimited quantities within reason. Let me encourage you to get a calendar and put it to use.
- S - The letter "S" stands for the Savior. We exist for His glory. The mission of the association is "to associate ourselves to assist member churches in fulfilling the Great Commission of Christ through fellowship, education and mission involvement." Let's always remember why we are here!
- S - The letter "S" begins the word service. Jesus has called us to a life of service to others. The associational leadership wants to help churches and church leaders. Often times we need your help in knowing how to serve you. If we can help you or your church in ministry, then let us know. We want to assist the churches.
- O - The letter "O" deals with mission and ministry opportunities. Your association is involved in such things as resort ministry, children's camps, hospital Bible studies, chapel services, ministry to the hungry and homeless, disaster relief, training events and much more! These are opportunities for people who need them and for others who can offer the services. What door of opportunity for service or ministry is God opening to you?
- C - The letter "C" focuses my attention on Caldwell County. Over seventy thousand people live in this county. Twenty-seven thousand of them are Caldwell Baptists. We have seventy-four churches, one for every one thousand residents in this county. How many of them are Christians? How many of them are being reached by our churches? How many hungry, homeless and hurting people are out there? What ministry opportunities are being fulfilled by Baptist people? We are the largest witness for Christ in the place where we live. What kind of witness are we presenting to Caldwell County?
- I - The letter "I" begins the word involvement. Regardless of popular opinion or action, God has not gifted any of His children with the title of "Pew Warmer". We have been called to service in His kingdom. When individuals fail to accept their responsibility, then others have to pick up the slack. Shared ministry is the biblical mandate.
- A - The letter "A" can cause us to think about accomplishments. Nearly 500 Caldwell Baptists were involved in mission projects this past year. That is a wonderful accomplishment. These people have been to places like Caswell, West Virginia, Pennsylvania, Tennessee, Georgia, Texas, South Carolina, Ukraine, Romania, Cuba, Mexico, Israel and Germany. Caldwell Baptists are on mission around the world.
- T - The letter "T" should remind us of thankfulness. I am truly thankful for the wonderful staff the Lord has provided for our association. We are fortunate

to have Ann Hatton and Judy Brittain in the positions they hold. They are very capable employees who work faithfully for their Lord and Caldwell Baptists. It is a joy working with them. More than 200 persons hold volunteer positions in the associational structure. I am grateful for these dear people who help the staff get the work done. God bless each of you!

- I -** The letter "I" speaks of integrity. Christians need to demonstrate high levels of this word. We should be role models for others, showing Christlikeness in our lives. I challenge each of us to use our time and other resources well. Let's avoid laziness, procrastination, critical attitudes and poor behavior. We are representing the King of kings and the Lord of lords. We are His ambassadors!
- O -** The letter "O" reminds me of the word oneness. With so much discord and confusion in our world, I encourage Caldwell Baptists to strengthen our unity, our oneness. We can do so much if we choose to do it together. There is power in a united people. Let's allow the Holy Spirit to make and keep us one.
- N -** The letter "N" begins the word new. It is the dawning of a new year. Let's strive to make it the best year yet for the Caldwell Baptist Association. As God opens our eyes to the things that He is doing, we find an invitation to join Him. Let's do it God's way during this new year. As we do, we find renewed enthusiasm, renewed commitment and a new vision for the work to be done.

DISCIPLESHIP TRAINING COUNCIL REPORT

**Dr. Robert Weathers, Director
Dudley Shoals Baptist Church**

I am pleased to report that, even with a few setbacks, in the 1994-95 Caldwell County churches showed a continuing interest in Discipleship Training through their participation in the opportunities that the council provided. We began the year with "M" Night, held November 21 at Meadowbrook Church. Our speaker for the worship service was Dr. Jerry Sutton pastor of Two Rivers Baptist Church in Nashville, Tennessee. The service was followed by a time of fellowship with refreshments. At that time participants were also given the opportunity to view Discipleship materials available for each age group. We also provided classes with experienced teachers for every age group from infants to older youth. The total attendance for "M" Night was 251. Banners were awarded as follows: For churches with enrollment of 50 or less — Poovey's Grove/Setzer Creek (tie); for churches with enrollment of 51-150 — Meadowbrook; for churches with enrollment of 151 or more — Dudley Shoals. The award for most church study course credits earned went to Mt. Zion.

Following "M" Night our council scheduled Methods and Materials Clinics for each age group. The first clinic was for adults and was held at Dudley Shoals on January 19. Seven individuals attended from the churches. The second clinic, for youth teachers and workers, was held at Granite Falls FBC on February 21. Two teachers attended from one of our churches. The remaining clinics were subsequently canceled due to lack of interest. However, as a result of the clinics that were held, two churches were assisted in beginning or strengthening their existing programs.

Bible Drills and Speakers Tournament on April 7 at Mt. Zion Church was a success with thirteen participants from four churches. The Bible Drill and Speakers Tournament Banquet was held at Friendship Church. Rev. Mark Blair was the speaker.

Several changes have been made in the format and function of our council for the 1995-96 church year. We look forward to an exciting year, beginning with the Discipleship Rally (formerly "M" Night) on November 27 at Friendship.

EVANGELISM COUNCIL REPORT

Rev. Steve Parker, Director
Hartland Baptist Church

Our Evangelism Council would like to thank all of the people of the churches who worked so hard to plan, promote and participate in the training events, rallies and the Here's Hope Simultaneous Harvest Revivals in 1994 and 1995. Our Lord gave us souls for our labor and to Him be glory forever.

These are the events which were completed during 1994-95 calendar:

Here's Hope Chairperson Training, October 4, 1994, 7:00 pm, College Avenue
 Soul Winning Workshop, November 5, 1994 8:30 am-12:30 pm, Lower Creek
 Here's Hope Rally, February 23, 1995, 7:00 pm, FBC Whitnel
 Here's Hope Harvest Revivals, April 23-30, 1995, All Churches

Our prayer continues to be that God will use the past events to help us prepare for future events in Evangelism as we pray, witness and work to lead others to Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior. I want to thank the Lord, the council, the association and all the churches for the privilege to serve as your Evangelism Director for the past two years.

These are the churches who participated in the Here's Hope Revival effort:

Baton	Buffalo Cove	Calvary	Center Grove
Central	Clover	Concord	Crest View
Dry Ponds	Dudley Shoals	Fellowship	Friendship
Gethsemane	Granite Falls First	Harris Chapel	Hartland
Hudson First	Kings Creek	Lakeview	Lenoir First
Meadowbrook	Miller Hill	Mt. Zion	Mountain Grove
Mountain View	Nelsons Chapel	New Life	North Catawba
Oak Grove	Piney Grove	Pooveys Grove	Providence
Rhodhiss First	Setzer Creek	Temple Hill	Yadkin

Here are future events planned for Evangelism:

Developing Evangelism Strategy	Jehovah Witness Training
November 1, 1995 — 9:00 am-12 noon	Feb. 24, 1995 — 9:00-11:30 am
Baptist Center	Mt. Zion Baptist Church

EXTERNAL RELATIONS COMMITTEE REPORT

Rev. John Jernigan, Chairman
Central Baptist Church

The External Relations Committee consists of thirteen volunteers from the association. They are responsible for establishing and maintaining proper relationships with groups outside the association. They serve as the communication link between the association and the various agencies, boards, foundations and other groups affiliated with the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina and the Southern Baptist Convention; and to communicate and work, as needed, with non-Baptist groups. It was not necessary for the committee to meet this year.

FAMILY MINISTRY COUNCIL REPORT

Rev. Michael Isaacs, Director
First Baptist Church of Hudson

The Family Ministry Council has had another great year serving the Lord through Caldwell Baptists. The council consisted of the following: Mrs. Beth Isaacs, Preschool Ministry Director; Mrs. Barbara Fisher, Youth Ministry Director; Ms. Sherry Austin,

Single Adult Ministry Director, Rev. Wayne Caviness, Median & Senior Adult Ministry Director; and Rev. Brooks Walker, Student Ministry Director.

Our first project was a Preschool & Parent Christmas Celebration on December 10 from 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon at the First Baptist Church of Hudson. There were over 150 in attendance. This was a wonderful opportunity for parents and their preschoolers to spend quality time together during the Christmas season.

The Single Adult Conference was held at First Baptist Church of Hudson on Saturday, February 18, 1995. The attendance was as follows: 33 single adults, 7 leaders and staff for a grand total of 40. This conference seemed to be one of the best we have held. The hand of the Lord obviously was upon the conference. Although the three speakers had no prior contact with one another, their presentations fit together perfectly — only God could have orchestrated that!

Our Associational Youth Night was held on March 11, 1995 at the College Avenue Baptist Church. After a pizza supper, the youth broke-up into small group conferences to study and share about issues that concerns teenagers. At the end of the evening a worship and praise service was held in the sanctuary with all youth and their leaders. This event was a great experience for our youth!

The Senior Adult Fellowship was held at the First Baptist Church of Lenoir on September 21, 1995, from 10:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. Mrs. Anneal Ledbetter, from First Baptist Lenoir, shared a devotional time and a period of Christian fellowship with humorous stories. After the program, we ate lunch together in the church's fellowship hall. There were 55 in attendance.

It is a joy to serve with this council. Please continue to pray as we seek the Lord' will for the "Family" within the Caldwell Baptist Association.

FELLOWSHIP COUNCIL
Rev. Dan Redding, Chairman
Center Grove Baptist Church

The Fellowship Council consists of the head leaders of the associational fellowship groups. The council meets only as needed to discuss fellowship needs and to coordinate the activities of the fellowship groups. The council director represents the fellowship groups as a member of the Associational Council.

FINANCE COMMITTEE REPORT
Neil Annas, Chairman
Dry Ponds Baptist Church

The purpose of the Finance Committee is to assist the association in securing, administering and reporting its finances.

In the 1994-95 year, the Finance Committee of the Caldwell Baptist Association, Inc. met several times during the year to complete our duties. During the year we put together the 1995-96 Annual Budget. Our primary objective in the budget process was to facilitate the financial side of helping our association meet its goals and objectives for next year. The 1995-96 Annual Budget was approved by the messengers at their Summer Quarterly Meeting.

Other action discussed and suggested by the Finance Committee was the paying off the debt that was borrowed to purchase the 1994 van. This was accomplished by using current operating funds. This action was approved by the messengers in the Summer

Quarterly Meeting. We are happy to report that this action allows us to end the 1994-95 year debt free.

We also recommended funding \$1,700.00 to be taken from current operating funds to support the Bible courses to be taught in the High Schools. This action was also approved by the messenger sin the Summer Quarterly Meeting.

We are proud to report that the association is in solid financial condition. We will continue working to meet the current and future financial needs of our association while maintaining a solid financial condition.

1995-96 MINISTRY BUDGET
Caldwell Baptist Association, Inc.
October 1, 1995 — September 30, 1996

I. BUDGET RECEIPTS:

A. Undesignated Receipts	184,689.00
B. Designated Receipts	
1. Annual Minutes	1,600.00
2. Baptist State Conv.	2,000.00
3. Miscellaneous	<u>4,000.00</u>
Total Designated Receipts	<u>7,600.00</u>
Total Budget Receipts	<u><u>192,289.00</u></u>

II. BUDGETED MINISTRIES:

A. ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES

1. Annual Minutes	3,000.00
2. Baptist Center Media Library	
(a) Equipment	3,300.00
(b) Materials	1,100.00
3. Committees	
(a) Communications	300.00
(b) Miscellaneous	100.00
(c) Properties	
(1) Baptist Center	
(a) Custodian	3,490.00
(b) Maintenance/Bldg. Imp.	1,700.00
(c) Office Equipment	2,500.00
(d) Utilities & Insurance	11,000.00
(2) Caldwell Cottage	900.00
(3) Disaster Relief Unit	300.00
(4) Van	1,000.00
4. Contingency	500.00
5. Office Expense	17,000.00
6. Treasurer	<u>855.00</u>
Total Administrative Services	47,045.00

B. COORDINATING

1. Administrative Services Council	100.00
2. Associational Council	1,000.00
3. Fellowship Council	<u>100.00</u>
Total Coordinating	1,200.00

C. FELLOWSHIP GROUPS

1. Bivocational Ministers	200.00
2. Church Secretaries	400.00
3. Minister's Conference	600.00
4. Min. & Wives Quarterly Felshp.	800.00

5. Minister's Wives	150.00
6. Music Leaders	100.00
7. Retired Ministers	100.00
8. Youth Leaders	<u>50.00</u>
Total Fellowship Groups	2,400.00

D. GOVERNING (MESSENGERS)

1. Annual Meeting Meal	850.00
2. Miscellaneous & Speakers	<u>1,400.00</u>
Total Governing	2,250.00

E. CHURCH ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS

1. Brotherhood Council	1,800.00
2. Christian Life Council	2,000.00
3. Discipleship Training Council	1,250.00
4. Evangelism Council	450.00
5. Family Ministry Council	3,150.00
6. Media Library Council	500.00
7. Missions Development Council	4,000.00
8. Music Ministry Council	1,100.00
9. Pastoral Ministry Council	1,200.00
10. Prayer Council	600.00
11. Recreation Council	200.00
12. Seminary Extension Council	750.00
13. Stewardship Council	200.00
14. Sunday School Council	950.00
15. WMU Council	<u>3,375.00</u>
Total Church Assistance Programs	21,525.00

F. PERSONNEL

1. Salaries:	
a. Director of Missions	26,899.00
b. Administrative Assistant	21,898.00
c. Financial Secretary	11,437.00
2. Benefits:	
a. Housing & Utilities	
(1) Director of Missions	16,500.00
b. Insurance	
(1) Director of Missions	6,250.00
(2) Administrative Assistant	2,700.00
(3) Financial Secretary	1,800.00
c. Retirement	
(1) Director of Missions	6,510.00
(2) Administrative Assistant	3,285.00
(3) Financial Secretary	1,144.00
3. Christmas Gifts:	
a. Director of Missions	835.00
b. Administrative Assistant	421.00
c. Financial Secretary	220.00
4. Ministry Expense:	
a. Automobile	
(1) Director of Missions	3,600.00
(2) Administrative Assistant	300.00
(3) Financial Secretary	350.00
b. Hospitality & Materials	
(1) Director of Missions	650.00

c.	Meetings & Mission Trips		
(1)	Director of Missions	2,200.00	
	-South Africa	3,000.00	
(2)	Administrative Assistant . . .	250.00	
(3)	Financial Secretary	250.00	
5.	Taxes: FICA		
a.	Director of Missions	3,320.00	
b.	Administrative Assistant	1,675.00	
c.	Financial Secretary	<u>875.00</u>	
	Total Personnel		116,369.00
G.	Special Missions		
1.	Minister's Support	1,500.00	
	Total Special Missions		<u>1,500.00</u>
	TOTAL MINISTRY BUDGET		<u>\$192,289.00</u>

FOREIGN MISSION BOARD REPORT

**Linda Carroll, Representative
Union Grove Baptist Church**

The Foreign Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention is based in Richmond, Virginia. In nearby Rockville, Virginia, a missionary learning center trains those that have received the call to go into all the world. Over 400 people work in the Virginia locations providing the home base support for 4,187 Southern Baptist missionaries serving in 131 countries of the world. This is the largest missionary effort today and throughout the history of the world.

The main objective of the board is to present the gospel of Jesus Christ and lead individuals to a personal faith in Him. Christian leadership training, print and electronic media, and church starting support the goal. With a conviction to minister to the whole person leads to work in health care and human needs. For example the board will be a channel for seven million dollars this year for hunger and relief work.

The 1995 budget is more than 186 million dollars. The Lottie Moon Christmas Offering for Foreign Missions provides forty-six percent of that budget. The Cooperative Program provides thirty-six percent of the budget and the balance of support comes from designated gifts, income from temporary investment of funds and endowment.

In addition to the career missionaries, more than 13,000 volunteers went to foreign lands in 1994. These Southern Baptists spent a few days to four months working alongside the career missionaries. The interest in volunteer missions in foreign lands as steadily increased in recent years.

The world is in need of Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior. In 1994, through the efforts of Southern Baptist missionaries, 302,132 persons were baptized. This is the first time that over 300,000 people were baptized through the efforts of Southern Baptists in a single year. This was a fifteen percent increase in baptisms over the report given in 1993.

Let's continue to support the work of our missionaries. We need to pray, learn, give and go!

GENERAL BOARD OF THE BAPTIST STATE CONVENTION OF NORTH CAROLINA REPORT

Joann Propst, Representative
First Baptist Church of Rhodhiss
and

Rev. Roger Mercer, Representative
Poovey's Grove Baptist Church

The General Board is responsible for the ongoing work of the Baptist State Convention between the annual sessions. The Board meets three times a year and is composed of one member from each of the 79 associations, with an additional member for each association with more than 20,000 members, plus a third member for associations with more than 40,000 members. The Caldwell Association has two Board members since we have more than 27,000 members. Robert Livingston, pastor of the Yadkin Church, is currently serving as an area representative.

Members are elected in annual session of the Convention from a slate of names presented by the Convention's Nominating Committee. Board members serve four years with approximately one-fourth rotating on and off each year.

The Board supervises the work of the agencies and institutions of the convention. However, it does not have the power to contravene any action of the Convention nor to launch a new institution.

The two representatives for the Caldwell Association serve as ex-officio members of the association's External Relations Committee, in order to keep the committee informed about external matters that would relate to the association. The two representatives are neither selected nor elected by the association to serve as General Board members.

HISTORICAL EVENTS 1994-95

Clark's Chapel — Pastor Appreciation Day honoring Rev. Jack Sprinkle for ten years of service to the church.

Clearview — Celebrated 40th anniversary in May 1995.

Clover — April 2, 1995 entered remodeled sanctuary. June 4, 1995 moved into new educational building (12 classrooms). June 25, 1995 held Dedication Sunday.

College Avenue — Supported the following missions: Yokefellow, Rex House, Hudson Prison Ministry, Radio Ministry, Bethel Colony, Habitat for Humanity and Soup Kitchen. Dr. Bill Almond resigned as Interim Pastor on August 1, 1995. Rev. Gwyn Sullivan began serving as Interim Pastor on September 1, 1995.

Dudley Shoals — Dr. Robert Weathers and Rev. Michael Harkness went on mission trip to Ukraine to help disciple pastors. Church donated \$2,000 for Bibles and books for Ukraine mission trip. Angie Arney went on a ten week mission trip to Southern Africa. Angie Arney accepted to attend James Dobson's Focus on the Family, Institute for Family Study in Colorado - September thru December, 1995. Alma Helton worked with missionary kids in Haiti, Mexico, Germany, England, Israel, Switzerland and the Philippines.

Harrisburg — Remodeled existing building.

Hudson First — Young couples class constructed children's playground. Church built a picnic/van shelter.

Indian Hills — Constructed new picnic shelter.

Kings Creek — Dare Teague honored for life-long ministry. Efforts begun to raise money for renovations to educational building. Summer youth worker. Luty German Parlier Estate willed to the church.

Livingston Memorial — Building new addition to church for Sunday School rooms.

Miller Hill — Purchased adjoining land beside church property.

Mt. Zion — Gave financial support to the Bible Course offered in Caldwell County School System.

New Life — LEO Ministries - 7-12 workers went to six different locations bi-weekly throughout the summer months. LEO also went to Atlanta - Inner City this summer.

North Catawba — This year, 1995, North Catawba Baptist Church will give thanks and pay tribute to our Lord for 200 exciting years as we celebrate our bicentennial. The celebration has included special services and fellowships welcoming home familiar faces from our past. Former pastors have brought encouraging and inspiring messages to challenge us to go forward with the work God has for us to do. The year-long celebration will conclude with a "Commitment to the Future" service on December 31, 1995. . . at which time a time capsule will be sealed. Also to commemorate this special celebration a written and pictorial history of North Catawba Baptist Church has been compiled to help recapture our past and provide a glimpse of our future. We invite you to remember 200 years. . . to be reminded of past blessings, to learn from past failures, and to grow stronger as we continue forward!

HISTORICAL TABLE — ANNUAL MEETINGS Caldwell Baptist Association 1885-1988

YEAR & PLACE	MODERATOR	CLERK	PREACHER
1885 - Rocky Springs	Isaac Oxford	W.A. Pool	Isaac Oxford
1886 - Union	Isaac Oxford	W.A. Pool	John Crisp
1887 - Piney Grove	Isaac Oxford	W.F. Marshall	W.A. Pool
1888 - Sardis	H.D. Lequex	W.F. Marshall	H.D. Lequex
1889 - Globe	Isaac Oxford	W.F. Marshall	W.A. Pool
1890 - Lenoir First	Isaac Oxford	A.E. Nelson	Isaac Oxford
1891 - Dudley Shoals	Isaac Oxford	J.V. McCall	J.W. Gwaitney
1892 - Yadkin	I.W. Thomas	J.V. McCall	H.M. Croom
1893 - Granite Falls	I.W. Thomas	A.E. Nelson	J.W. Gwaitney
1894 - Kings Creek	J.V. McCall	A.E. Nelson	J.M. Shaver
1895 - Lower Creek	J.V. McCall	A.E. Nelson	H.M. Croom
1896 - Conways Chp	I.W. Thomas	J.V. McCall	I.W. Thomas
1897 - Piney Grove	E.D. Crisp	J.V. McCall	Isaac Oxford
1898 - Rocky Springs	I.W. Thomas	J.V. McCall	G.D. Hefner
1899 - Blairs Fork	I.W. Thomas	J.V. McCall	E.D. Crisp
1900 - Union	I.W. Thomas	J.V. McCall	I.W. Thomas
1901 - Sardis	I.W. Thomas	J.V. McCall	W.R. Beach
1902 - Bethany	J.V. McCall	I.W. Thomas	E.D. Crisp
1903 - Lenoir First	J.V. McCall	I.W. Thomas	J.A. White
1904 - Dudley Shoals	J.V. McCall	I.W. Thomas	J.L. Sherwood
1905 - Mountain Grove	J.V. McCall	I.W. Thomas	---
1906 - Flemings Chapel	J.V. McCall	I.W. Thomas	---
1907 - Mulbery	J.V. McCall	I.W. Thomas	J.L. Sherwood
1908 - Lower Creek	J.V. McCall	I.W. Thomas	J.C. Miller
1909 - Green Valley	J.V. McCall	I.W. Thomas	I.W. Thomas
1910 - Granite Falls	J.V. McCall	J.R. Swanson	J.G. Benfield
1911 - Kings Creek	J.V. McCall	J.R. Swanson	---
1912 - Rocky Springs	I.W. Thomas	J.R. Swanson	W.N. Cook
1913 - Lenoir First	I.W. Thomas	J.R. Swanson	J.D. Moore
1914 - Union	I.W. Thomas	J.R. Swanson	G.C. Ivey
1915 - Sardis	I.W. Thomas	J.R. Swanson	G.W. Rollins
1916 - Blairs Fork	I.W. Thomas	J.R. Swanson	J.G. Benfield
1917 - Bethel	I.W. Thomas	J.R. Swanson	G.A. Rhyne
1918 - Dudley Shoals	I.W. Thomas	J.R. Swanson	J.E. Hoyle
1919 - Rhodhiss First	I.W. Thomas	J.R. Swanson	J.M. Shaver
1920 - Piney Grove	I.W. Thomas	J.R. Swanson	I.W. Thomas
1921 - Center Grove	I.W. Thomas	J.R. Swanson	J.E. Hoyle
1922 - Kings Creek	J.G. Benfield	J.R. Swanson	W.C. Tyree
1923 - Rocky Springs	J.G. Benfield	J.R. Swanson	J.L. Teague
1924 - Concord	J.G. Benfield	J.R. Swanson	W.C. Tyree

1925 - Yadkin	W.C. Tyree	H.S. Benfield	J.W. Watts
1926 - Lower Creek	W.C. Tyree	H.S. Benfield	J.L. Teague
1927 - Harris Chapel	W.C. Tyree	H.S. Benfield	S.A. Stroup
1928 - South Lenoir	W.C. Tyree	H.S. Benfield	G.W. Bennett
1929 - Mount Zion	J.W. Watts	H.S. Benfield	W.R. Bradshaw
1930 - Kings Creek	J.W. Watts	H.S. Benfield	R.D. Carroll
1931 - Sardis	J.W. Watts	H.S. Benfield	R.E. Hardaway
1932 - Granite Falls	J.W. Watts	H.S. Benfield	W.R. Barnes
1933 - Grandview Park	R.D. Carroll	H.S. Benfield	J.H. Shaver
1934 - Lenoir First	R.D. Carroll	H.S. Benfield	T.E. Payne
1935 - Whitnel First	R.D. Carroll	H.S. Benfield	H.S. Benfield
1936 - Grandin	R.D. Carroll	H.S. Benfield	G.C. Teague
1937 - Rhodhiss First	R.D. Carroll	H.S. Benfield	Waldo E. Early
1938 - Rocky Springs	R.D. Carroll	H.S. Benfield	Leroy Thomas
1939 - Lower Creek	R.D. Carroll	H.S. Benfield	Boyd Cannon
1940 - Granite Falls	G.C. Teague	H.S. Benfield	Zeb Caudle
1941 - Yadkin	Zeb Caudle	H.S. Benfield	O.R. Mangum
1942 - Blairs Fork	Zeb Caudle	H.S. Benfield	R.F. Mayberry
1943 - Mount Zion	Zeb Caudle	H.S. Benfield	S.M. Stroupe
1944 - Kings Creek	Zeb Caudle	R.C. Powell	Philip D. Fletcher
1945 - Pinye Grove	Zeb Caudle	R.C. Powell	J.H. Crisp
1946 - Dudley Shoals	Zeb Caudle	G. Boutwell	---
1947 - Lenoir First	C.M. Abernethy	G. Boutwell	M.W. Stallings
1947 - Center Grove	C.M. Abernethy	G. Boutwell	---
1948 - Central	J.F. Reece	E.W. Smith	W.W. Jones
1948 - Hartland	J.F. Reece	E.W. Smith	---
1949 - Harris Chapel	J.F. Reece	E.W. Smith	Fred C. Roberts
1949 - Lower Creek	J.F. Reece	E.W. Smith	---
1950 - Concord	J.F. Reece	E.W. Smith	Will Bolick
1950 - Longford	J.F. Reece	E.W. Smith	---
1951 - Calvary	W.W. Jones	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	Paul Hester
1951 - Winklers Grove	W.W. Jones	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	---
1952 - Union	W.W. Jones	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	M.O. Owens, Jr.
1952 - Union Grove	W.W. Jones	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	Knolan Benfield
1953 - Sardis	W.W. Jones	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	D.R. Hinton
1953 - Mountain Grove	W.W. Jones	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	---
1954 - College Avenue	J.M. Laxton	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	K.E. Seepe
1954 - Granite Falls	J.M. Laxton	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	---
1955 - Lenoir First	J.M. Laxton	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	T.L. Cashwell
1955 - Mount Zion	J.M. Laxton	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	---
1956 - Lower Creek	J.M. Laxton	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	Paul Hopkins
1956 - Central	J.M. Laxton	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	---
1957 - Yadkin	V.S. Sparrow	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	Paul Bruce
1957 - Harris Chapel	V.S. Sparrow	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	---
1958 - Hudson First	V.S. Sparrow	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	George Westmoreland
1958 - Crestview	V.S. Sparrow	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	---
1959 - Rhodhiss First	M.O. Owens, Jr.	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	Hal R. Hovis
1959 - Kings Creek	M.O. Owens, Jr.	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	---
1960 - College Avenue	Paul J. Hopkins	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	Murray F. Jackson
1960 - Flemings Chapel	Paul J. Hopkins	Frank L. Smith, Sr.	---
1961 - Concord	Paul J. Hopkins	J.G. Hagaman	Paul Lovingood
1961 - Poovey's Grove	Paul J. Hopkins	J.G. Hagaman	---
1962 - Winkler's Grove	Paul J. Hopkins	J.G. Hagaman	Billy Rivers
1962 - Grandview Park	Paul J. Hopkins	J.G. Hagaman	---
1963 - Lenoir First	George Williamson	J.G. Hagaman	James Pharr
1963 - Mount Zion	George Williamson	J.G. Hagaman	---
1964 - Hudson First	Dwight Watts	J.G. Hagaman	Jyles Hall
1964 - North Catawba	Dwight Watts	J.G. Hagaman	Mrs. George Cowser
1965 - Whitnel First	Dwight Watts	J.G. Hagaman	Mark Owens
1965 - Union Grove	Dwight Watts	J.G. Hagaman	F. Turnmire/S. Austin
1966 - Lower Creek	Dwight Watts	J.G. Hagaman	B.C. Tschudy
1966 - Yadkin	Dwight Watts	J.G. Hagaman	Wayne Pennell
1967 - Calvary	Billy Rivers	Faye C. Teague	Millard Crumpler

1967 - Dudley Shoals	Billy Rivers	Faye C. Teague	---
1968 - College Avenue	L. Deck Taylor	Faye C. Teague	Rev. C.H. Kincaid
1968 -Mountain Grove	L. Deck Taylor	Faye C. Teague	Rev. Lanny Elmore
1969 - Mount Zion	L. Deck Taylor	Faye C. Teague	Rev. Fred D. Barnes
1969 - Lenoir First	L. Deck Taylor	Faye C. Teague	---
1969 - Union	L. Deck Taylor	Faye C. Teague	Miss Faye Turnmire
1970 - Granite Falls	L. Deck Taylor	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Rev. Clifton Tuttle
1970 - Hudson First	L. Deck Taylor	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Dr. Carl Bates
1970 - Kings Creek	L. Deck Taylor	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Mrs. Hilda Cowsert
1971 - Central	George Williamson	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Frank Colburn
1971 - Lower Creek	George Williamson	Elizabeth J. Campbell	R. Knolan Benfield
1971 - Whitnel First	George Williamson	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Wayne Pennell
1972 - Hudson First	George Williamson	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Edgar Cole
1972 -Mountain Grove	George Williamson	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Dr. Jack Stanton
1972 - Clover	George Williamson	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Lanny Elmore
1973 - Dudley Shoals	Haven C. Lowe	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Rev. Luther Hawkins
1973 - Harris Chapel	Haven C. Lowe	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Dr. Eugene Poston
1973 - Oak Grove	Haven C. Lowe	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Rev. Tom Small
			Rev. Coy C. Privette
			Rev. James Lambert
1974 - North Catawba	Haven C. Lowe	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Edwin D. Price
			Rev. John O. Adams
1974 - Mount Zion	Haven C. Lowe	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Dr. Budd Smith
			Rev. Guy Longshore
1974 - Hartland	Haven C. Lowe	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Rev. Burt Potter
			Rev. Jerry Potter
1975 - Yadkin	J.M. Laxton	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Rev. Howard Barnes
			Rev. Charles Lethcoe
1975 - Hudson First	J.M. Laxton	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Dr. Eugene Poston
			Rev. Ian Walker
1975 - Concord	J.M. Laxton	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Dr. Roy Carroll
			Rev. George Cowsert
1976 - Lenoir First	J.M. Laxton	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Rev. Ned Webb
			Rev. Don Ingle
1976 - Poovey's Chapel	J.M. Laxton	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Dr. Thomas Corts
			Dr. Richard Henderson
1976 - Central	J.M. Laxton	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Rev. Ernest Hollaway
			Rev. Wayne Pennell
1977 - Rhodhiss First	H.H. McManus	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Rev. Don Ingle
			Rev. B.R. Whisnant
1977 - Baton	H.H. McManus	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Dr. Craven Williams
			Dr. Carl E. Bates
1977 - Harris Chapel	H.H. McManus	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Rick Taylor
			Rev. John McGee
1978 - College Avenue	H.H. McManus	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Rev. James Lockee
			Rev. Knolan Benfield
1978 - Union Grove	H.H. McManus	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Dr. Norman Wiggins
			Dr. Forrest Feezor
1978 - Mount Zion	H.H. McManus	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Dr. Mark Corts
			Rev. Max Furr
1979 - Lower Creek	H.H. McManus	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Dr. Thad Dowdle
			Rev. Walter Ponder
1979 - Temple Hill	H.H. McManus	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Dr. Robert Mullinax
			Dr. Jonn Tresch
1979 - Miller Hill	H.H. McManus	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Dr. Dwane Campbell
			Dr/Mrs Lin Fincannon
1980 -Mountain Grove	Donald W. Ingle	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Rev. H.H. McManus
			Dr. Robert Evans
1980 - Center Grove	Donald W. Ingle	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Dr. Dwane Campbell
			Dr. A.C. Miller
1980 - Crest View	Donald W. Ingle	Elizabeth J. Campbell	Rev. Cecil Seagel
			Mrs. Craig Steele

1981 - Granite Falls	Donald W. Ingle	Sue Smith	Rev. Roy Collins, Jr. Rev. Donald Ingle Dr. Delos Miles Rev. Fenton Moorhead Dr. Thad Dowdle Mrs. Jean Poe Tommy Stevens Roger Nix J.W. Hutchens Stuart White Thomas Courts Rev. Donnie Solesbee Rev. Dennis Herman Dr. Mark Cortis Dr. Robert Evans, Jr. History of Cald Couty Dr. Roy Smith Rev. Dean Harrold Rev. Ken Carter Rev. Marion Powell Rev. C.H. Kincaid Rev. Ellis Fulbright Dr. Ray Roberts Rev. Stuart White Togo Volunteers Rev. Richard Everett Rev. David Philbeck Dr. Michael Blackwell W.M.U. Cent. Report Brazil Mission Report Dr. Thad Dowdle
1981 - West Lenoir	Donald W. Ingle	Sue Smith	
1981 - Poovey's Grove	Donald W. Ingle	Sue Smith	
1982 - Kings Creek	Wayne Riddle	Sue Smith	
1982 - Lovelady	Wayne Riddle	Sue Smith	
1982 - Flemings Chapel	Wayne Riddle	Sue Smith	
1983 - College Avenue	Wayne Riddle	Sue Smith	
1983 - Clark's Chapel	Wayne Riddle	Sue Smith	
1983 - Whitnel First	Wayne Riddle	Sue Smith	
1984 - Concord	Walter Ponder	Sue Smith	
1984 - Calvary	Walter Ponder	Sue Smith	
1984 - Mount Zion	Walter Ponder	Sue Smith	
1985 - Lenoir First	Walter Ponder	Sue Smith	
1985 - Baton	Walter Ponder	Sue Smith	
1985 - Rhodhiss First	Walter Ponder	Sue Smith	
1986 - Concord	Donald W. Ingle	Margaret Benfield	
1986 - Piney Grove	Donald W. Ingle	Margaret Benfield	
1986 - Dudley Shoals	Donald W. Ingle	Margaret Benfield	
1987 - Meadowbrook	Donald W. Ingle	Margaret Benfield	
1987 - Poovey's Chapel	Donald W. Ingle	Margaret Benfield	
1987 - Friendship	Donald W. Ingle	Margaret Benfield	
1988 - Central	Billy G. Rivers	Margaret Benfield	
1988 - Fellowship	Billy G. Rivers	Margaret Benfield	
1988 - Temple Hill	Billy G. Rivers	Margaret Benfield	

HISTORICAL TABLE — QUARTERLY MEETINGS Caldwell Baptist Association, Inc. 1989-1995

YEAR & PLACE	MODERATOR	CLERK	PREACHER
1989 - Hudson First	Billy G. Rivers	Ann Hatton	Bill Cox
Mount Zion	Billy G. Rivers	Ann Hatton	Don Foster
Dudley Shoals	Glenn Walker	Ann Hatton	George Shore
Harrisburg	Glenn Walker	Ann Hatton	Craige Steele
Oak Grove	Glenn Walker	Ann Hatton	James Hamby
1990 - Miller Hill	Glenn Walker	Ann Hatton	Buddy Freeman
Granite Falls	Glenn Walker	Ann Hatton	Mack Roberts
Yadkin	Glenn Walker	Ann Hatton	Ed & Marji Elzey
Clover	Glenn Walker	Ann Hatton	Dennis Blackmon
Lower Creek	Glenn Walker	Ann Hatton	David Smith
1991 - Concord	Stuart White	Ann Hatton	Roy Smith
Setzer Creek	Glenn Walker	Sue Smith	Terrell L. Moore
Union Grove	Glenn Walker	Ann Hatton	Tom Small
Kings Creek	Joel Sellers	Ann Hatton	Frank Denning
Flemings Chapel	Joel Sellers	Ann Hatton	Dale Fisher
1992 - Harris Chapel	Joel Sellers	Ann Hatton	Caldwell Laypersons
North Catawba	Joel Sellers	Ann Hatton	Caldwell Baptist Pastors
Hartland	Joel Sellers	Ann Hatton	Windy Rich
Calvary	Joel Sellers	Ann Hatton	Joann Propst
Dry Ponds	Joel Sellers	Ann Hatton	Dale Fisher
1993 - Clark's Chapel	Joel Sellers	Ann Hatton	Hilda Cowsert
Baton	Joel Sellers	Darlene Townsend	Dale Fisher
New Life	Joel Sellers	Ann Hatton	J.W. Hutchens
Whitnel First	Robert Livingston	Ann Hatton	Joann Propst
Center Grove	Robert Livingston	Ann Hatton	Dale Fisher

1994 - Mountain Grove	Robert Livingston	Ann Hatton	William Stillerman
Piney Grove	Robert Livingston	Ann Hatton	Debbie Connell
Lower Creek	Robert Livingston	Ann Hatton	Children's Musical
Dudley Shoals	Robert Livingston	Ann Hatton	Roy Cooper
Central	Robert Livingston	Ann Hatton	Dale Fisher
1995 - Meadowbrook	Robert Livingston	Ann Hatton	Robert Livingston
Poovey's Grove	Bob Lowman	Ann Hatton	Talmadge Williams
Union	Robert Livingston	Ann Hatton	Chic Byrd
North Catawba	Bob Lowman	Ann Hatton	Dale Fisher
Lenoir First	Bob Lowman	Ann Hatton	Senior Adult Choir

HISTORY COMMITTEE REPORT

Rev. Ken Mashburn, Chairman
Setzer Creek Baptist Church

Thanks to the hard work of past and present History Committee members, and the cooperation of the churches of our association, the History Committee was successful in gathering a partial history of all 74 churches of the Caldwell Baptist Association, Inc. These histories are being proof-read by all our committee members. When this is completed, an edited copy of the history will be sent back to each church for any additions or corrections. After this, a book will be compiled of all the histories from all the churches of the Caldwell Baptist Association. Our next project will be an updated history of the Caldwell Baptist Association. Thanks again committee members, for a job well done. Thanks again churches of the Caldwell Baptist Association, for your cooperation in this project.

North Catawba Baptist Church

Rev. John Barnhardt, Pastor

North Catawba Baptist Church was organized in 1795 under a brush arbor about one mile from the church's present site, taking the name from its geographical location north of the river. The earlier records were lost, and the first records the church has date back to 1825. The following charter members were living at that date: Elder William Bradshaw and wife, Annie Harshaw, Billie McDaniel and wife, Patty Conley, Nancy Bradshaw, Richard Beane and wife, and Susan Humphries.

There have been five locations since the church was organized. The first three buildings were made of logs, and the fourth building was of frame construction built by Elijah Bradshaw for a school, the Catawba Academy. This building was located about one-fourth mile from the present church. In 1859, the third log building burned and the church moved into the academy building, remaining there until a new building constructed at the present site was completed in 1907 on land, according to the church records, donated by Miss Agnes Bradshaw, daughter of Elijah Bradshaw. The church used this building until the present beautiful brick structure was completed in 1972.

The first Sunday School was organized in 1858, and the church elected four superintendents: Elijah Bradshaw, Sidney McCall, William Beane, and William Bradshaw.

The land on which the present building is located was given by the heirs of Elijah Bradshaw who served as deacon, clerk, and Sunday School Superintendent for many years. The church has furnished charter members for five churches, Enon and Antioch of the Catawba River Association, Mountain Grove, Lovelady, and Philadelphia Primitive Baptist church which pulled out when the church voted to support mission work in 1877. The Lovelady Church was constituted in 1878 of former Negro slaves that belonged to the church.

North Catawba was one of the charter members of the Catawba River Association, organized in 1829, and remained in that association until September 22, 1957 when the

church voted to join the Caldwell Association. According to the records the church has ordained fifteen ministers to the gospel ministry: William Bradshaw, James Bradshaw, D. W. Conway, B. H. Martin, Reubin Hawks, J. S. Corpening, W. R. Bradshaw, W. A. McCall, Lloyd Smith, H. S. Benfield, D. B. Cannon, J. C. Brooks, R. F. Smith, Jr., David May, and Ned Webb.

The following ministers have served as pastors: Cleveland Coffey, Anderson Carlton, William Bradshaw, William Dodson, Hosea Holcomb, Reubin Coffey, Thomas Craig, J. J. Watts, James Bradshaw, D. W. Conway, C. C. Poole, R. L. Patton, J. A. Rector, I. W. Thomas, W. F. Hull, A. M. Murcheson, J. J. L. Sherwood, C. E. Beaver, A. W. Setzer, J. G. Benfield, W. R. Bradshaw, J. S. Benfield, C. A. Lineberger, J. L. Teague, W. B. Bryant, C. A. Abernathy, Perry Crouch, W. H. Flowers, D. B. Cannon, J. L. Bragg, Robert Frye, Joe Puett, R. M. Heavner, Paul Ross, James Peck, R. N. Hardin, David May, Gordon Scruggs, L. W. Teague, Ned H. Webb, Wayne V. Riddle, and John Barnhardt.

First Baptist Church of Lenoir

Dr. David Smith, Pastor

The Lenoir Baptist Church, later to become First Baptist Church was organized on August 18, 1889, and consisted of eighteen charter members. Rev. W. A. Poole was the first pastor, serving only two months. He was followed by Rev. I. W. Thomas, who deserves much credit for building the foundation on which this church was built. The original church property was located at West Harper Avenue and Church Street. The lot for the first building cost \$100, and the church was only a hull of a house, no ceiling, no seats except planks laid on blocks, no pulpit, no altar table, no Bible, no song books, and no bell. The churches of the Caldwell Baptist Association helped ceil and seat the house, and in September 1890 the Association met in this church for the first time. A Sunday School was organized in 1890. During the nine years of Rev. Thomas' pastorate, the membership increased from eighteen to one hundred, and the church was free of debt.

From 1899 until 1922, there were nine pastors during which time the church was remodeled, and an annex built before constructing a new building on the original site. A Woman's Missionary Society was organized in 1899. During the pastorate of Rev. J. E. Hoyle, a parsonage was bought for \$3,500, and the balance of the debt on the church was paid. The building was dedicated on August 29, 1920, at which time the membership was three hundred nineteen.

Under the leadership of Dr. W. C. Tyree who became pastor in 1922, the church purchased the old graded school property on North Main Street which is the present site for \$15,000, and in July 1923 the former church property was sold to the Reformed Church for \$12,500. The new building, completed in 1925, and the property cost more than \$150,000. During the time of construction, the congregation of four hundred members met in the Court House. On December 20, 1928, Dr. Tyree was killed in an automobile accident.

On June 1, 1929, Rev. Richard Hardaway became pastor of the church, with one of his aims being to see the church free from the remaining \$52,000 debt of the new building. Once or twice a year Rev. Hardaway would not have the regular church service, but would shut the door, bring out a blackboard and set it up in the front. Then each person would stand up and call out a pledge to the building fund with the amount being written on the blackboard by Rev. Hardaway. When Rev. Hardaway resigned in 1939, he left the church debt free for the third time in the church's history.

Dr. Oscar R. Mangum came as pastor in January 1940. In 1941, the sanctuary was completely remodeled with a Pilcher three manual organ being installed. A house, the O. R. Mangum Lodge, was built at Ridgecrest in 1948, for use by the church while

participating in the Ridgecrest programs. The Love Fund was started during Dr. Mangum's pastorate and has continued to play an important role in helping underprivileged persons. Dr. Mangum conducted classes for the preachers of the county and established a Minister's Library in this church. The church spire was rebuilt, and in 1948 chimes were added to the organ. In August 1945, Rev. and Mrs. A. E. Blankenship went to Brazil to serve as missionaries for First Baptist Church. They came home from the mission field in 1948, because of Mrs. Blankenship's health. Dr. Mangum retired from the active ministry on June 27, 1948 after suffering a heart attack.

On July 1, 1948, Rev. A. E. Blankenship became pastor. In 1948, the church sent Miss Miriam McCullough as missionary to Mexico. Also, in the same year the church bought a new house on Kentwood Street as the parsonage.

The Rev. M. O. Owens, Jr. began his ministry in 1950 and served nine and one-half years. A parsonage on Highland Avenue was built in 1951, with the chapel and education building being completed in 1958. Harrisburg Baptist Chapel was begun as a mission of First Baptist Church on January 30, 1955.

January 1, 1961, Rev. W. Emory Trainham, Jr. became First Baptist Church's sixteenth pastor, serving until 1967. The new Harrisburg Chapel building was completed and dedicated June 4, 1961. In November 1963, a new fifty bell carillon was installed. Mr. Trainham helped establish the Community Holy Week services and began First Baptist's radio ministry "The Church at Worship" in 1962.

The Rev. Fred D. Barnes began his ministry as Senior Minister in July 1968. On March 31, 1968, the debt on the chapel and education building was retired. A major total renovation of the sanctuary building was completed in 1975, with \$650,000 indebtedness being paid off December 31, 1980.

This was the second debt-free celebration in thirteen years, and the fifth time in the history of the church that it has gone through a significant building program and has paid off a large indebtedness. With a dedication service on April 1, 1979, Harrisburg Chapel became a church to be known as Harrisburg Baptist Church. During Rev. Barnes ministry, the church supported a number of groups and programs which minister to various community needs including the Lenoir Ministerial Association, Yokefellow, The Soup Kitchen, and numerous special music programs. After 19 years as Senior Minister, Rev. Barnes resigned in December 1987.

Dr. David B. Smith began his pastorate in January 1989, with the church in the midst of a year-long centennial celebration. On August 20, 1989, First Baptist Church, Lenoir, officially marked its 100th year of ministry to Lenoir and Caldwell County with thanks to God for its past and a renewed commitment to His service in the years ahead. During 1992-93 a major renovation was accomplished throughout the church.

HOME MISSION BOARD REPORT

Ella Keller, Representative

First Baptist Church of Granite Falls

The Home Mission Board (HMB) is a missionary-sending agency of the Southern Baptist Convention (SBC). With national offices in the Atlanta, Georgia area, the HMB's purpose is to serve Southern Baptists by assisting churches to proclaim the gospel of Jesus Christ, start and grow New Testament congregations, and minister to people in the name of Christ.

As of December 31, 1994, there were 4,913 mission personnel serving in the United States, the Caribbean, Guam, American Samoa, and Canada. This is only 87 short of the Bold Mission Thrust (BMT) goal of 5,000 home missionaries. The HMB also had endorsed more than 2,300 chaplains who were serving in healthcare agencies,

institutions, businesses, the military, and pastoral-care roles. More than 2,000 Mission Service Corps volunteers were serving on home mission fields, exceeding another BMT goal six years early. During the year there were nearly 1,300 church starts. Southern Baptist churches baptized 378,463 people in 1994, an increase of nearly 30,000 over 1993.

Approximately half of the HMB's support comes from individual SBC churches through the annual Annie Armstrong Easter Offering for Home Missions. In 1994, gifts to the offering totaled \$37.177,500, about 2 percent more than the 1993 total and the second largest in HMB history. One hundred percent of the offering goes to support the work of home missionaries in the field. The 1995 Annie Armstrong Easter Offering goal is \$50 million, in commemoration of the HMB's 150th Anniversary. About 35 percent of the HMB's income comes from the denomination's Cooperative Program.

The following is a summary of program/support ministry highlights from 1994:

Chaplaincy Ministries — The 2,364 Southern Baptists now serving as chaplains and pastoral counselors reported more than 24,000 professions of faith.

Church Loans — The Church Loans Division closed 107 church loans totaling \$21.5 million, including \$3.9 million of refinancing.

Language Missions — Home missionaries in the Language Church Extension Division serve among 102 ethnic groups and 97 American Indian tribes, using 102 languages and dialects, in addition to sign language.

Volunteers — Volunteers continue to serve in record numbers and represent more than \$100 million in value to the HMB. In 1994, nearly 80,000 persons served as volunteers, about 5,000 more than in 1993. Mission Service Corps missionaries, numbering 2,016, and serving in 1,385 locations, represent a cadre of committed people responding to God's call to be personally involved in home missions.

Christian Social Ministries — More than 2,500 volunteers were trained to teach English as a second language, tutor children and youth, and assist adult non-readers.

Church Extension — Through Praxis, 47 men and 31 women from six Southern Baptist seminaries participated in church planting during the summer.

Special Ministries — International ministries were conducted at the United Nations, in Washington, D.C., in 40 port cities, and among international students.

Prayer and Spiritual Awakening — The Home Missions Intercessory Prayerline received 82,000 calls in 1994.

MEDIA/LIBRARY COUNCIL REPORT

Mrs. Bobbi Watson, Director
Miller Hill Baptist Church

The TACMO Council has been very pleased this year with the attendance and enthusiasm shown in our meetings. We meet to encourage, support, uplift and learn from each other how to better serve our church families through the media/library ministry. We live in an age where technology advances every day. We strive to support all the programs of the church and this requires ongoing training.

Our Associational Church Media Library Organization met quarterly for fellowship and training. We had the opportunity to have our meetings at Lower Creek, Dry Ponds, Mt. Zion and the Cornerstone Christian Book Store. Dottie Almond from Hudson First attended the National Library Conference in Nashville this year. Five of our librarians

attended the State Conference at Caraway. Eight of our group attended the workshops during Library Week at Ridgecrest this summer. We have averaged twenty-six at our meetings with fifteen churches represented. Crest View Baptist church has put their library collection on computer this year. Several of our churches have revitalized their media centers, adding new bookshelves and making various improvements to their facilities.

Our new emphasis for next year in our media libraries will be on preschoolers. We will learn how to plan for and attract preschoolers to our church libraries and how to select good materials for them. Our library staffs are always eager to serve the needs of all our church family. This includes everyone from the youngest to the oldest.

MEMBERS DECEASED 1994-95

BATON

Mr. Clyde Bolick
Mrs. Mamie Chester
Mrs. Iva Greene
Mr. Albert Smith

CALVARY

Mr. Harlan Coffey
Miss Arlene Cooke
Mrs. Virginia Crook
Mr. Mike Taylor

CENTER GROVE

Mr. Rodney Allison
Mr. Benny Bumgarner
Mr. Audrey Cantley
Mrs. Christine Cloninger
Mrs. Thelma Hall
Mr. Claude McRary

CENTRAL

Mr. Jeffrey Benfield
Rev. Jesse H. Crisp
Mrs. Stella Dancy
Mrs. Marie C. Davis
Mrs. Annie Maltba
Mrs. Laney Messick
Mr. Frank Parlier

CLARK'S CHAPEL

Mr. Russell Raby

CLEARVIEW

Mrs. Helen Brown

CLOVER

Mrs. Muriel Bowman
Mr. Robert Davis
Mrs. Mabel Mathis
Mrs. Susan Smith
Mr. Locke Warlick
Mrs. Edna Weaver

COLLEGE AVENUE

Mr. Clyde Triplett
Mrs. Alberta Craig
Mr. Frank Lovins
Mrs. Mary B. Cannon

CONCORD

Mrs. Ada Bodenheimer
Mr. Ken Bost
Mrs. Carolyn Bumgarner
Mrs. Ruth Coffey
Mrs. Emma Davis
Mr. Jack Gilbert
Mr. Oscar Hasque
Mr. Paul E. Kirby
Mrs. Pansy Roberts
Mr. Jack Starnes
Mr. Earl Travis

CREST VIEW

Mrs. Nellie Coffey
Mrs. Helen Presnell

DUDLEY SHOALS

Deacon Ralph Ogles
Mrs. Daisy Seagle
Mr. Lewis Day
Mr. Billy Gilbert

FELLOWSHIP

Mr. James Anderson
Mr. Dolas Bruner
Mr. Alfred Simmons

FLEMINGS CHAPEL

Mrs. Helen Watson
Mr. Gary Gragg
Mr. Gary Crotts
Mr. Don Triplett
Mrs. Winnie Greene
Mrs. Verline Reichard
Mr. Dorth Reichard
Mr. B.W. Brookshire, Sr.
Mr. Edward Winkler
Mrs. Mary Etta Arney
Mr. Eugene Watson

FRIENDSHIP

Mr. Floyd L. Carpenter

GRANDIN

Mrs. Alma Pearl Church
Mr. Sam Hicks

GRANDVIEW PARK

Mrs. Callie Pruett

GRANITE FALLS FIRST

Mrs. Ann Davis

Mr. Don Davis, Jr.

Mrs. Frances Wilson

Mr. Woodrow Wilson

HARRIS CHAPEL

Mrs. Josephine Austin

Mrs. Ella Cooke

Mrs. Wilma Grant

Mr. Joe McGuire

Mr. Willis Walters

HUDSON FIRST

Mr. Lem J. Alley

Mr. Benjamin Beach

Mr. Paul Freeman

Mr. Charles A. Huffman

Mr. Guy R. McCreary

Mr. Ted Barlowe

Mr. Lonnie C. Bradshaw

Mr. Hovis Allen

Mrs. Annie Bradshaw

Mrs. Wilma German

Mrs. Lola Moss

Mrs. Deborah Parsons

Mr. Andy Rector

KINGS CREEK

Mr. William (Bill) Walker

Mrs. Thelma McGee

Mr. Everette Waters

Mrs. Zula Wike

Mrs. Luty G. Parlier

Mrs. Mary Price

Mrs. Ruth L. Walker

LAKEVIEW

Mr. Jesse Moretz

Mr. Bradley Williams

LENOIR FIRST

Mrs. June Klendshoj

Mr. Frank L. Smith, Jr.

Mr. Doyle Norris

Mr. J.R. Rivers

Mrs. Frances Stillwell

Mrs. Phillip King

Mr. Kenneth Austin

Mrs. Doyle Lingle, Sr.

Mrs. Dudley Nelson, Sr.

Mr. Charles Carson

LIVINGSTON MEMORIAL

Mrs. Ed Phillips

Kristie Simmons

LOWER CREEK

Mr. Delmas Blalock, Sr.

Mrs. Ollie Greer

Mrs. Olive Parsons

Mr. Ward Haigler

LOWER CREEK cont.

Mr. Walter Hart

Mrs. Viola Pierce

Mr. Perry Kirby

Mr. Glen Allred

MEADOWBROOK

Mr. Colon "Yogi" Sherrill

Mr. John Adams

Lois Maness

Mrs. Maude Nance

MILLER HILL

Rev. Garland Higgins

Miss Hattie Simmons

Mr. Jimmy Craig

Mrs. Sybil Laws

MOUNT CARMEL

Pastor Floyd Bumgarner

MOUNT ZION

Mr. Jack Annas

Mr. Lawrence Bentley

Mrs. Katherine Richards

Mr. Clyde McCall

Mrs. Ollie Icard

MOUNTAIN GROVE

Randy Austin

Kitty Bean

Howard Bean

Douglas Chester

Virgie Greene

Jane Prestwood

Ted Seagle

MULBERRY

Miss Gracie Bolick

MULVALE

Mr. Earl Whittington, Jr.

Mrs. Fred Land

NELSON'S CHAPEL

Mr. Luther Sudderth

NEW LIFE

Mrs. Jennifer Butler Cox

NORTH CATAWBA

Mr. Roy Crotts

Mr. Douglas Moore

Mr. Jonathan Riddle

Mrs. Sue Woodie

OAK GROVE

Mr. John T. Dula, Jr.

Mrs. Mary B. Lowman

Mrs. Cora R. Myers

Mrs. Geneva Swanson

Mr. James J. Teague

PINEY GROVE

Mr. Howard Sharpe

POOVEY'S GROVE

Mrs. Wallace Duffey

Mrs. Pink (Ruth) Keller

Mrs. Alfred (Toye) Keller

POOVEY'S GROVE cont.

Mr. Fred Winkler

ROCKY SPRINGS

Mrs. Judith R. Kincaid

SETZER CREEK

Mr. Rufus Storie

SUNRISE

Mrs. Pansy Hice

Mrs. Frances Annas

Mrs. Lorraine Wilcox

Mr. Leo Setzer

Mr. Clyde Bolick

TEMPLE HILL

Mr. Allen Robbins

Mr. Lonnie Childress

Mr. Joe Grith

Mrs. Violet Gilbert

UNION

Mrs. Mary Pennell

Mr. Boone Richard

Mrs. Verna Vines

Mrs. Mildred West

UNION GROVE

Mr. Clyde Bolick

Mrs. Mamie Chester

Mrs. Iva Greene

Mr. Albert Smith

WEST LENOIR

Mrs. Hattie Moore

Mrs. Helen Hamby

Mr. Ray Suddreth

WHITNEL FIRST

Mrs. Pearl McGee

Mr. Paul Phillips

Mrs. Exie Andrews

Mrs. Helen Parson

YADKIN

Mr. Allie Greene

Mr. Carroll McGee

Mr. Buster Miller

YADKIN VALLEY

Mr. Davie Johnston

MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE REPORT**Rev. Wayne White, Chairman****Oak Grove Baptist Church**

Recommendations from the Membership Committee requesting membership for the Gethsemane and Providence Baptist Church were acted on and approved at the 1994 Annual (Fall Quarterly) Meeting of the Messengers. The complete recommendations can be found in the Clerk's Report of the 1994 Annual (Fall Quarterly) Meeting. No further actions have been taken by the committee in the 1994-95 associational year.

MINISTERS AND WIVES QUARTERLY FELLOWSHIP**Barry Mock, Chairman****Hartland Baptist Church**

The annual Ministers and Wives Appreciation Banquet was held on Monday, February 20, 1995 in the fellowship building of the Center Grove Baptist Church. A humorous and entertaining program was presented by the Reverend Buddy Freeman of Gardner-Webb University. Inspirational music was provided by Toby and Kim Smith.

Another fellowship was held on Monday, May 15, 1995 at the First Baptist Church of Hudson. The theme was "Getting Ready for Summer". The program involved skits about summer, distribution and explanation of "Summer Survival Kits" and music by the "Caldwell Baptist Ministers Singing Group".

The planning committee has asked permission to drop the word quarterly from the fellowship group. It is the desire of the committee to do two major fellowships per year instead of four. The messengers will vote on this request during the 1995 Annual Meeting.

MINISTER'S CONFERENCE REPORT**Rev. Roger Parker, President****Baton Baptist Church**

The Minister's Conference had a great year in 1995. It was exciting to see the ministers support our meeting each month by averaging twenty-two in attendance.

We were able to hear from four of our fellow pastors this year when they brought to us messages from God's word. They all blessed our hearts. Also, we had programs that dealt with taxes, managing stress, pastoral counseling, and trends in ministry. We had special visits from Randy Smith, a SBC missionary to the Philippines, and Coy Privette from the Christian Action League.

Let me encourage each minister to attend these meetings this coming year and be blessed by the fellowship with other ministers serving the Lord. May God bless!

MINISTER'S WIVES FELLOWSHIP GROUP REPORT**Mrs. Nancy Martin, Chairman****Union Baptist Church**

The Minister's Wives Fellowship Group met on Saturday morning, June 10, 1995, for a fellowship breakfast at the Baptist Center. Mrs. Jean Poe, pastors wife and retired missionary, was our guest speaker. Mrs. Poe delighted us with her humorous experiences of family life in the ministry.

A Prayer Breakfast is being planned for May 18, 1995 at the Baptist Center. A special invitation goes out to all minister's wives in the Caldwell Baptist Association to join us.

MISSIONS DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL REPORT**Mrs. Joann Propst, Director****First Baptist Church of Rhodhiss**

As the Missions Development Council just completed their seventh year, we again realize "the harvest truly is plenteous" and we are very thankful for the 485 volunteers who were willing to "go into all the world."

LOCAL MISSIONS REPORT**Darlene Townsend, Local Missions Promotion & Projects Director****Buffalo Cove Baptist Church**

March 5, 1995 began our seventh year of Sunday morning worship services at Green Mountain Park Resort. Thanks to the 20 pastors and 22 musicians from 20 churches who led in these services. Average attendance for the year was seventy with a high attendance of 178.

1995 Coordinators:

J.W. Crouse
 Marie Phillips
 Wilmeta Crump
 Joyce Lovins

J.B. Crouse
 Joan Crouse
 Howard Barnes
 Marline Barnes
 Lawrence Robertson

Ministers:

Dale Fisher, Mt. Zion
 John Barnhardt, North Catawba
 J.B. Crouse, Mountain View
 Rick Crouse, Dry Ponds
 Roger Beck, Meadowbrook
 Howard Barnes, Friendship
 Fred Hicks, Temple Hill

Doug Main, Central
 Jonathan Clark, Hudson First
 J.W. Crouse, Grandview Park
 Gary Lawrence, Miller Hill
 Ed Greene, Livingston Memorial
 Jim Hamby, Fellowship
 Michael Isaacs, Hudson First

Ministers cont.:

Mark Blair, Friendship	Howard Tallent, Brookwood
Rowe Teague, Hudson First	Budd McMahan, Drexel Memorial
Lawrence Robertson, Hudson First	Richard Yount, Cahjah's Mountain

Musicians:

Pat Enloe, Baton	Robin Watts, Hudson First
Gaynell McCall, Baton	Carolyn Joplin, Blue Ridge
Joan Crouse, Mountain View	Wilmeta Crump, Grandview Park
Kelly Crouse, Dry Ponds	Joyce Lovins, Miller Hill
Janice Beck, Meadowbrook	Marie Phillips, Miller Hill
Scott Walker, Meadowbrook	Barry Laws, Fellowship
Karen Wilson, Mt. Zion	Tina Wilson, Dry Ponds
Lola Monaham, Baton	Cindy Harris, Dry Ponds
Layne Edwards, Friendship	Nattalie Harris, Mountain Grove
Mary Wicker, Friendship	Cecil Ballew, Guest
Charles Shell, Hudson First	Marline Barnes, Friendship

A total of 148 youth and adult volunteers led in the Green Mountain Park Day Camp, June 5-August 4, 1995. Bible study, music, drama, puppets, clowns, games and refreshments were among the things used in this ministry to reach children for Christ.

First Baptist Church of Rhodhiss
Faculty 21 — Campers 87

Faculty:

Amanda Townsend	Keenyn Norman
Cindy Pruitt	Todd Miller
Mandy Norman	Steven Harrison
Melissa McNeely	David Clark
Natasha McNeely	Brandon Price
Jennifer Clark	Ryan Wilson
Crystal Wortman	Gwyn Wilson
Jessica Garmon	Susan Wilson
Christen Wilson	Cathy Helton
Robert Hefner	Joann Propst
Chris Hefner	

Friendship Baptist Church
Faculty 11 — Campers 82

Faculty:

James Fox	Lois Fox
Emilee Fox	Lori Lynn Price
Shelly Robinson	Danny Hampton
Chris Spears	Janeise Harmon
Bradley Curtis	Kendra Cloer
Holly Andrews	

North Catawba Baptist Church
Faculty 9 — Campers 34

Faculty:

Brooks Walker	Kimberly Barnhardt
Natalie Phillips	Rob Jessen
Curtis Jessen	Jeff Barnwell
Ryan Cook	April Welch
Sharon Crump	

Mt. Zion Baptist Church
Faculty 22 — Campers 74

Faculty:

Jason Kuykendall	Matthew Miller
Megan Miller	Erin Miller
Genise Rabb	Karen Helton
Kristy Cogdell	Nikki Johnson
April Johnson	Melissa Gilbert
Jonya Walker	Matthew Fisher
Kendra Smith	Kara Barlow
Chad Smith	Jamie Deitz
Sabrina Deitz	Annette Jackson
Gloria Jackson	Bryan Crouse
Chip Wilson	Barbara Fisher

Flemings Chapel Baptist Church
Faculty 23 — Campers 74

Faculty:

Shawn Beane	Shannon Beane
Amy Kincaid	Jaimee Hoyle
Wendi Hendrix	Karissa Hendrix
Abee Gilbert	Tommy Abel
Sarah Abel	Sarah Everett
Sarah Bryant	Adam Bryant
Jason Pennell	Christina Smith
Tania Woodrum	Erin Livingston
Renee Greene	Josh Gragg
Tim McDonald	Courtney Ferrell
Linda Abel	Theresa Clay
John Everett	

First Baptist Church of Whitnel
Faculty 27 — Campers 58

Faculty:

Wayne Caviness	Lisa Caviness
Karen Nelson	Judy Helton
Mildred Roberts	Vicki Townsend
Sandy Crump	Bobby Guess
Connie Guess	Ruth Nelson
Barbara Kirby	Ruth Johnson
Melissa Blankenship	Jim Jernigan
Jana Jernigan	Ashley Parson
Heather Nelson	Phil Chester
Tom Watson	Mina Pritchard
Danielle Secreast	J.W. Crump
Sandy Phillips	Clarence Gilbert
Ronnie Canipe	Jonathan Hart
Heather Crump	

Poovey's Chapel Baptist Church
Faculty 25 — Campers 34

Faculty:

Faye Burton	Elreta Harris
Dean Harrold	Emmett Hall
Wendy Hall	Carole Overbay
Debbie Brown	Darrell Richards
Crystal Morgan	Andrea Taylor

Poovey's Chapel cont.

Angie Fillers
 Chad Pearson
 Chip Cobb
 Brian Taylor
 Toyne Haynes
 Jessica Price
 Greg Van Dyke
 Brenda Taylor

Jamie Canterbury
 Shane Eckard
 Shane Bryant
 Amanda Woodring
 Angie Brown
 Amanda Whitley
 Kara Van Dyke

Miller Hill Baptist Church
 Faculty 10 — Campers 22

Faculty:

Sue Smith
 Mildred Nelson
 Terry Cable
 Joyce Lovins
 Joyce Estes

Barbara Watson
 Anita Cable
 Denise Hammond
 Carol Soots
 Dianne Parsons

Praise the Lord for the 58 volunteers from ten churches who taught Sunday School and visited with the patients in the Restorative Care Unit at Caldwell Memorial Hospital.

Week Bible Study Volunteers:

Darlene Townsend, Buffalo Cove
 Henry Good, Clarks Chapel
 Tracey White, Clarks Chapel
 Dan Kirby, Clarks Chapel
 Artie Hawkins, Fellowship
 Martha Thompson, Fellowship
 Leland Green, Fellowship
 Norman Frye, Fellowship
 Blake Yost, Dry Ponds
 Clara Powell, Dry Ponds
 Elsie Yost, Dry Ponds
 Brenda Brooks, Zacks Fork
 Ralph Fisher, Central
 Allen Craig, Central
 Eddie Perry, Central
 Bill Correll, Temple Hill
 Carl Dewey, Temple Hill
 Jane Fairchild, Temple Hill
 Horace Marley, Temple Hill
 Lloyd King, Gethsemane
 Dale Allen, Gethsemane
 Connie Vincent, Gethsemane
 Dianne Parsons, Miller Hill
 Norman Frye, Fellowship
 David Green, Fellowship
 Artie Hawkins, Fellowship
 Elaine Hefner, Rhodhiss First
 Christine Bolan, Rhodhiss First
 Cindy Pruitt, Rhodhiss First

Ramona Thompson, Central
 Donna White, Clarks Chapel
 Shirley Cowick, Clarks Chapel
 Darryl Wilcox, Clarks Chapel
 Dewey Hawkins, Fellowship
 Ann Green, Fellowship
 Joyce Frye, Fellowship
 Melba Haas, Fellowship
 David Price, Dry Ponds
 Curtis Powell, Dry Ponds
 Bobby Brooks, Zacks Fork
 Laura Brooks, Zacks Fork
 Henry Lathan, Central
 David Bush, Central
 George Hollar, Central
 Richard Hayes, Temple Hill
 Danny Fairchild, Temple Hill
 Bernice Marley, Temple Hill
 Ruby Staton, Gethsemane
 Lillian Turnmire, Gethsemane
 Beryl Bryant, Gethsemane
 Bobbi Watson, Miller Hill
 Dewey Hawkins, Fellowship
 Joyce Frye, Fellowship
 Eddie Summerlin, Fellowship
 Joann Propst, Rhodhiss First
 Cathy Helton, Rhodhiss First
 Amanda Townsend, Rhodhiss First
 Conrad Hefner, Rhodhiss First

Thanks Caldwell Baptist for your support of the Rex House Ministry. Homeless men are now receiving much needed toiletries, men staying at night, worship services each night and women preparing meals.

As a result of the first National WMU ministry project, "Project Help 1995: Hunger", the following Caldwell Baptist Churches gave 4,748 cans of food and \$1,565.98 to help feed hungry people in Caldwell County.

Baton	Gethsemane	Miller Hill
Buffalo Cove	Grandview Park	Mountain Grove
Central	Granite Falls First	Mountain View
Clarks Chapel	Harris Chapel	Mt. Zion
Clover	Hartland	North Catawba
College Avenue	Hudson First	Poovey's Chapel
Crest View	Indian Hills	Rhodhiss First
Dry Ponds	Kings Creek	Setzer Creek
Dudley Shoals	Lakeview	Temple Hill
Fellowship	Livingston Memorial	Union
Flemings Chapel	Lower Creek	Union Grove
Friendship	Meadowbrook	Whitnel First

On May 23, 1995, nine interested person from seven churches met at the Baptist Center for a Church Missions Development Meeting. Ann Mount, our State Missions Development Consultant led in a very informative and interesting meeting. As more church Missions Development Councils begin, more people will be reached and needs met.

STATE MISSIONS REPORT

Floyd Annas, State Missions Promotion & Projects Director
Mt. Zion Baptist Church

Sixteen volunteers from five churches worked a total of 251 hours at Caswell Baptist Assembly, February 25-March 2, 1995.

Volunteers:

Boyd Cloer, Friendship	Kathryn Cloer, Friendship
Howard Barnes, Friendship	Marline Barnes, Friendship
Fred Mitcham, Center Grove	Ruby Mitcham, Center Grove
Bennie Conner, Kings Creek	Judy Conner, Kings Creek
Steve Hedrick, Kings Creek	Clay Hedrick, Kings Creek
Dale Fisher, Mt. Zion	Gene Grogan, Mt. Zion
Dewey Hawkins, Fellowship	Artie Hawkins, Fellowship
Norman Frye, Fellowship	Joyce Frye, Fellowship

A total of \$588.75 was sent to Western North Carolina to help the flood victims.

Caldwell Baptists also had a big part in the ministry and witness at the State Fair this year. Due to the large number of toiletries you gave, Lee and Carol Flowe had to bring a van to the Baptist Center and pick them up. As a result Campers on Mission were able to minister and witness at the fair and in other areas where they have not had an opportunity in the past.

HOME MISSIONS REPORT

Marlene Alexander, Home Missions Promotion & Projects Director
Dry Ponds Baptist Church

Fourteen Caldwell Baptists from seven churches traveled to Chapmanville, West Virginia August 18-20, 1995 to work with Calvary Baptist Church. The work included two Backyard Bible Clubs, two worship services, survey work, typing prospect cards and one on one witnessing.

Volunteers:

Marlene Alexander, Dry Ponds
 Shawn Alexander, Dry Ponds
 Mary Bentley, Crest View
 Dale Fisher, Mt. Zion
 Lewis Moore, North Catawba
 Darlene Townsend, Buffalo Cove
 David Brewer, Oak Grove

Robert Alexander, Dry Ponds
 Pauline Brown, Dry Ponds
 William Bentley, Crest View
 Joann Propst, Rhodhiss First
 Violet Moore, North Catawba
 David Townsend, Buffalo Cove
 Mozelle White, Oak Grove

A total of \$538.75 was sent to California to help flood victims.

FOREIGN MISSIONS REPORT

Concerned Caldwell Baptists gave \$1,077.50 to be sent to the Japanese earthquake victims.

1994-95 CHURCH VOLUNTEERS

CHURCH	NO. OF VOL.	PLACE OF SERVICE	TYPE OF WORK
Concord	43	Philadelphia, Pa.	Worked in Inner City with Third Eternal Baptist Church, Rev. Hal Hopkins, Pastor Backyard Bible Clubs, Construction on 4 homes and Concerts
	Congre- gation	Granite Falls, N.C.	Sponsoring Hispanic Ministry
		Tia Mori, Romania	Revival, Survey, One on One Witnessing
Concord	6	Pieretz Romania	Outdoor Service and Supporting Pastor
Lenoir First	22	Charleston, S.C.	Construction on Homes
Lenoir First	28	Caswell	Construction and Yard Work
Mountain Grove	17	Asheland City, Tenn.	Worked with West Cheatham Baptist Church, Survey, Backyard Bible Clubs, Worship Services
Mountain Grove	15	Beckley, West Va.	Mission for Christmas '94
New Life	2	Atlanta, Ga.	Worked at Cabbage Town and Inner City Apartments. Trained 10 volunteers from Woodland Hills Baptist Church about LEO Ministries (25 were saved - 12 joined Woodland Hills)
New Life	30	Lenoir, N. C.	LEO Ministries
Rhodhiss First	20	Huntington, West Va.	Backyard Bible Clubs, Sports Activity/Teens, Christian Flag Corp, Concerts

1994-95 INDIVIDUAL MISSION VOLUNTEERS

CHURCH	VOLUNTEER	PLACE OF SERVICE	TYPE OF WORK
Dudley Shoals	Angela Arney	South Africa	Jungle Clubs, survey, evangelism
Dudley Shoals	Michael Harkness	Ukraine	Teaching Pastor's Conf., preaching
Dudley Shoals	Alma (Suzie) Helton	Haiti, Mexico, Germany, Israel, Philippines, England, Switzerland, Mexico/Texas	Working with MKs
Dudley Shoals	Robert Weathers	Ukraine	Teaching Pastor's Conf., preaching
Friendship	Howard Barnes	Mundo Vista & Caswell	Construction
Friendship	Marline Barnes	Mundo Vista & Caswell	Construction
Friendship	Boyd Cloer	Mundo Vista & Caswell	Construction
Friendship	Kathryn Cloer	Mundo Vista & Caswell	Construction
Friendship	Luther Gragg	Cuba	Evangelism
Hudson First	Jonathan Clark	Cuba	Evangelism
Hudson First	Wilneta Cloer	Mexico/Texas	Working with MKs
Hudson First	Anita Helderman	Mundo Vista	Camp Counselor
Lower Creek	Pam Estes	Israel	Working with MKs
Lower Creek	Wayburn Braswell	Mexico/Texas	Working with MKs
Lower Creek	Richard Cole	Germany	Working with MKs
Lower Creek	Betty Cole	Germany	Working with MKs
Lower Creek	Adam Hatton	Germany	Working with MKs
Rhodhiss First	Joann Propst	Mexico, Israel	Working with MKs
Temple Hill	Maxine Ingle	Mexico/Texas	Working with MKs
Temple Hill	Brandy Overcash	Mexico/Texas	Working with MKs
Temple Hill	Melissa Overcash	Mexico/Texas	Working with MKs
Temple Hill	Vicki Overcash	Mexico/Texas	Working with MKs
Whitnel First	Mildred Roberts	Germany, Israel	Working with MKs

MUSIC LEADER'S FELLOWSHIP GROUP REPORT

Rev. Brooks Walker, Coordinator

North Catawba Baptist Church

The Music Ministry Council sponsored a time of fellowship for area music leaders at the Grape Garden Restaurant in Lenoir on Thursday, October 20, 1994. Eleven people attended the luncheon. This Dutch-treat luncheon was a good way to kick-off the 1995 associational year.

Another fellowship had been planned for Friday, April 21, 1995 at the Oak Hill Park. It had to be canceled because of conflicts.

MUSIC MINISTRY COUNCIL REPORT

Rev. Sherrill German, Director

Yadkin Baptist Church

The Psalmist David exhorts us in Psalm 98:1 to "Sing unto the Lord a new song, for He has done marvelous things." We continue to seek ways we can minister to and through our member churches and to our community through the musical gifts and talents God has given us.

Music leaders from ten churches gathered at the Grape Garden Restaurant on Thursday, October 20, 1994 for a Music Leaders Fellowship Luncheon. The purpose of the luncheon was achieved through good fellowship in a relaxed environment.

A new event, the Senior Adult Music Festival was held in April. Thirty-eight senior adults representing six churches met on four consecutive Tuesday mornings from 9:00 until 11:00 a.m. at the First Baptist Church of Lenoir to rehearse. Under the direction of clinicians Kenneth and Gale Little, the group learned the musical "The Time of Our Lives". They presented the musical at the Spring Quarterly meeting of the messengers on April 27 at the Poovey's Grove Baptist Church.

The annual Children's Choir Camp was hosted by North Catawba Church on July 10-13, 1995. Mrs. Eucella Hamilton from Mountain Grove Church in Hickory was the guest clinician for the week. She led fifty-four children from twelve churches in learning the musical "Down By the Creek Bank". The children did a delightful job when they presented the musical on Thursday evening, July 13.

Fourteen church adult choirs lifted their voices in praise at the 1995 Praise Sing on August 29, 1995. The event was held at the J.E. Broyhill Civic Center which provided adequate seating for the good crowd which attended the event. A wonderful time of praise and worship was enjoyed by all.

The new year holds plans for children, adults, senior adults and music leaders to sharpen their musical skills and blend their voices to sing to the Lord a new song. He continues to do marvelous things.

NOMINATING COMMITTEE REPORT

Rev. Jack Sprinkle, Chairman

Clark's Chapel Baptist Church

The Nominating Committee began work in November 1994 and met regularly and faithfully to fill the various Program Director and Committee positions of the association. We express gratitude to all the favorable responses and thank you for your prayer support. Believing we were directed by the Holy Spirit, we are confident the association is capably staffed for the accomplishment of its mission aim and for the reason. "We associate ourselves to assist member churches in fulfilling the Great Commission of Christ through fellowship, education and mission involvement."

ASSOCIATIONAL LEADERSHIP

October 1, 1995 - September 30, 1996

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

District V: Jamie Parsons (FBC Hudson)	1996
5372 Valley Run Street, Hickory, N. C. 28601 (327-2655)	
District VI: Joe Sims (Dudley Shoals Church)	1996
3339 Bowman Road, Granite Falls, N. C. 28630 (396-6136)	
District I: Joan Crouse (Mountain View Church)	1997
7 Daniel Circle, Granite Falls, N. C. 28630 (496-2264)	
District II: Eugene Woods (Yadkin Church)	1997
P.O. Box 38, Patterson, N. C. 28661 (754-6628)	
District III: Dr. Doug Jordan (Lower Creek Church)	1998
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Director: John Burns (Union Church)
Route 2, Box 565, Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (H-758-4626) (W-328-5657)
Younger Challengers Director: Marshall Fox (Dry Ponds Church)
488 Circle Drive, Hudson, N.C. 28638 (728-6485-H 728-1600-W)
Older Challengers Director: Rick Duffey (Dry Ponds Church)
5077 Jett Drive, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630 (396-7958)
Crusader Director: T.H. Pope (Dry Ponds Church)
3008 Ramblewood Drive, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630 (no phone)
Lad Director:

R.A. and Challengers Sports Committee

Troy Smart (Lakeview Church)
2001 Walt Arney Road, Box 11, Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (754-3737)

Dennis Nelson (Harris Chapel Church)
 Route 13, Box 921, Hickory, N.C. 28601 (495-7258)
 Randy Houck (Mt. Zion Church)
 2507 Brentwood Circle, Lenoir, N. C. 28645 (728-2745)
 Dwight Woods (Dudley Shoals Church)
 Route 1, Box 225, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630 (495-4542)
 Andrew Lindsey (FBC Hudson)
 Route 2, Box 384-E, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630 (728-2674)

Disaster Relief Committee

Pearl Setzer, Chairman (Friendship Church)
 2698 Terrace Drive, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630 (396-5345)
 Diana Anderson (Calvary Church)
 4354 Lower Cedar Valley Road, Hudson, N.C. 28638 (396-5382)
 Roger Goble (Kings Creek Church)
 Route 1, Box 404-G, Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (758-7800)
 Walter Callis (Mt. Zion Church)
 4472 Magnolia Lane, Hudson, N.C. 28638 (728-2060)
 Douglas Johnson (North Catawba Church)
 2571 Dogwood Vista, Lenoir, N. C. 28645 (728-3238)

CHRISTIAN LIFE PROGRAM COUNCIL

Director: Rev. Lynn Parsons (Harris Chapel Church)
 1444 Cajahs Mountain Road, Hudson, N.C. 28638 (728-3721)
 Christian Citizenship Director: Bill Kincaid (Mt. Zion Church)
 Route 1, Box 344-A-1, Hudson, N.C. 28638 (H-728-6626) (W-728-5571)
 Social Issues Director:

Moral Concerns Director: Rev. John Jernigan (Central Church)
 1444 Norwood Street, S.W., Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (754-4196)
 Human Relations Director: Rev. Paul Sizemore (New Life Church)
 P.O. Box 1026, Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (728-1473)

DISCIPLESHIP PROGRAM COUNCIL

Director/Secretary: Dr. Robert Weathers (Dudley Shoals Church)
 1882 Dudley Shoals Road, Granite Falls, N. C. 28630 (396-7300)
 Assistant Director: Rev. Mark Blair (Friendship Church)
 4676 Horseshoe Bend Road, Hudson, N. C. 28638 (728-5121)
 New Member/Equipping Center Consultant: Rev. Roger Beck (Meadowbrook Church)
 P.O. Box 1226, Lenoir, N. C. 28645 (754-7656)
 Church Study Course Consultant:

Adult Consultant: J.D. Bolick (Dudley Shoals Church)
 Route 1, Box 247, Granite Falls, N. C. 28630 (396-1829)
 Youth Consultant: Ron Curfman (Dudley Shoals Church)
 Route 13, Box 43 Charlyn Street, Hickory, N. C. 28601 (495-7352)
 Children's Consultant: Mina Pritchard (FBC Whitnel)
 Route 1, Box 561-D, Lenoir, N. C. 28645 (758-4969)
 Preschool Consultant: Norma Hollar (Dudley Shoals Church)
 687 Campground Road, Granite Falls, N. C. 28630 (396-2513)

EVANGELISM PROGRAM COUNCIL

Director: Dr. Duane Kuykendall (Mt. Zion Church)
 1787 Cajahs Mountain Road, Hudson, N.C. 28638 (396-1241)
 Personal Evangelism Director: Rev. David Bean (Miller Hill Church)
 1230 Virginia Street, S.W., Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (758-4550)
 Interfaith Witness Director:

FAMILY MINISTRY PROGRAM COUNCIL

Director: Rev. Michael Isaacs (FBC Hudson)
 3311 Peachtree Place, Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (728-4297)
 Secretary: Sherry Austin (FBC Hudson)
 P.O. Box 351, Hudson, N.C. 28638 (728-9278)

Preschool Ministry Director: Beth Isaacs (FBC Hudson)
 3311 Peachtree Place, Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (728-0174)
 Children's Ministry Director:

Youth Ministry Director: Barbara Fisher (Mt. Zion Church)
 P.O. Box 445, Hudson, N. C. 28638 (728-4744)
 Single Adult Ministry Director: Sherry Austin (FBC Hudson)
 P.O. Box 351, Hudson, N.C. 28638 (728-9278)
 Median & Senior Adult Ministry Director:

Student Ministry Director: Rev. Brooks Walker (North Catawba Church)
 3965 Austin Road, Hudson, N.C. 28638 (728-9253)

MEDIA LIBRARY PROGRAM COUNCIL

Director: Bobbi Watson (Miller Hill Church)
 112 Tut Hill Drive, Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (758-8661)
 Media Education Director: Charlotte Smith (Mountain Grove Church)
 Route 2, Box 303, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630 (728-6800)
 Technical Processes Consultant: Dottie Almond (FBC Hudson)
 2983 Mac Drive, Hudson, N.C. 28638 (728-2449)
 Secretary: Polly Bentley (Crest View Church)
 117 Creekside Drive, Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (754-5789)
 Associational Librarian: Judy Brittain (CBA Staff)
 546 Calico Road, Lenoir, N. C. 28645 (758-4081)

MISSIONS DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM COUNCIL

Director: Joann Propst (FBC Rhodhiss)
 63 Duke Power Road, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630 (396-3450)
 Secretary: Mildred Roberts (FBC Whitnel)
 1502 Walt Arney Road, S.W., Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (754-3593)
 Promotion Director: Rev. Dale Matheson (Indian Hills Church)
 P.O. Box 2580, Lenoir, N. C. 28645 (758-4036)
 Survey Director: Mary Lindsay (FBC Hudson)
 Route 2, Box 384-E, Granite Falls, N. C. 28630 (728-2674)
 Local Missions Promotion & Projects Director: Darlene Townsend, Secretary (Buffalo Cove)
 Route 5, Box 421, Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (H-754-1046) (W-728-1600 Ext. 7-367#)
 State Missions Promotion & Projects Director: Floyd Annas (Mt. Zion Church)
 P.O. Drawer 620, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630 (396-1970)
 Home Missions Promotion & Projects Director: Marlene Alexander (Dry Ponds Church)
 114 Dove Street, Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (728-6381)
 Foreign Missions Promotion & Projects Director: Rev. Robert Livingston (Yadin Church)
 P.O. Box 37, Patterson, N.C. 28661 (754-6000)
 Brotherhood Representative: Boyd Cloer (Friendship Church)
 239 Hudson Cajahs Mountain Road, Hudson, N.C. 28638 (728-4746)
 W.M.U. Representative: Joann Propst (FBC Rhodhiss)
 63 Duke Power Road, Granite Falls, N. C. 28630 (396-3450)
 Sunday School Representative: Rev. Paul Sizemore (New Life Church)
 P.O. Box 1026, Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (728-1473)

1996 Green Mountain Park Resort Coordination Teams

March Gwyn Sullivan
 July Zeno Hame
 April / August: J.W. Crouse, Joyce Lovins, Marie Phillips and Wilmetta Crum
 May / September: Howard and Marline Barnes
 June / October: Lawrence Robertso

Mission Study Leaders

1995 Foreign Mission Study: Rev. Dale Fisher (Mt. Zion Church)
 P.O. Box 1555, Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (758-4081)
 1996 Home Mission Study: Rev. Dale Fisher (Mt. Zion Church)
 P.O. Box 1555, Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (758-4081)

MUSIC MINISTRY PROGRAM COUNCIL

Director: Rev. Sherrill German (Yadkin Church)
 P.O. Box 254, Patterson, N. C. 28661 (754-6000)
 Secretary: Steven Kelly (Union Grove Church)
 246 Union Grove Road, Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (728-2221)
 Adult Coordinator: Rev. Gilbert Blackburn (Lower Creek Church)
 633 Lower Creek Drive, N.E., Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (758-2315)
 Youth Coordinator: Rev. Phillip Duncan (Mt. Zion Church)
 1787 Cajah's Mountain Road, Hudson, N.C. 28638 (396-1241)
 Children's Coordinator: Don Almond (FBC Hudson)
 2983 Mac Drive, Hudson, N.C. 28638 (728-4297)
 Associate Children's Coordinator: Steven Kelly (Union Grove Church)
 246 Union Grove Road, Lenoir, N. C. 28645 (728-2221)
 Music Fellowship Director: Rev. Brooks Walker (North Catawba Church)
 3965 Austin Road, Hudson, N.C. 28638 (728-9253)

PASTORAL MINISTRIES PROGRAM COUNCIL

Director: Rev. Tom Small (Buffalo Cove Church)
 610 Swanson Drive, S.W., Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (728-7999)
 Deacon Ministry Director: Auray Lail (Mt. Zion Church)
 P.O. Box 621, Hudson, N.C. 28638 (728-7865)
 Church Administrative Services Director: Rev. Jim Hamby (Fellowship Church)
 468 Fir Street, C-44-05, Hudson, N.C. 28638 (728-2248)
 Ministers Ordination Director: Dr. Billy Rivers (FBC Hudson)
 109 Optimist Avenue, CB-59-2, Hudson, N.C. 28638 (728-4297)
 Chaplaincy Ministries Director: Rev. Dale Matheson (Indian Hills Church)
 P.O. Box 2580, Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (758-4036)

PRAYER PROGRAM COUNCIL

Director: Rev. Roger Parker (Baton Church)
 1115 Apple Lane, Hudson, N. C. 28638 (726-8960)
 Prayer Development Director: Anneal Ledbetter (FBC Lenoir)
 1018 Ashe Avenue, N.W., Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (758-2138)
 Prayer Involvement Director: Avis Corpening (FBC Granite Falls)
 P.O. Box 200, Granite Falls, N.C. 28630 (396-2443)

RECREATION PROGRAM COUNCIL

Director: Barry Curtis (Friendship Church)
 4101 Austin Road, Hudson, N.C. 28638 (726-1151)
 Associate Director:
 Associate Director:

SEMINARY EXTENSION PROGRAM COUNCIL

Director: Kathryn Cloer (Friendship Church)
 239 Hudson Cajah's Mountain Road, Hudson, N.C. 28638 (728-4746)
 Associate Director: Stephen McCorkle (FBC Lenoir)
 P.O. Box 751, Lenoir, N. C. 28645 (758-4335)
 Associate Director:

STEWARDSHIP PROGRAM COUNCIL

Director: Elsie Angley (Clark's Chapel Church)
 104 Berry K Drive, Lenoir, N. C. 28645 (728-6260)
 Stewardship Development Director/Secretary: Lillian Young (Friendship Church)
 P.O. Box 312, Hudson, N.C. 28638 (728-6017)
 Stewardship Promotion Director: Katherine Curtis (College Avenue Church)
 P.O. Box 70, Lenoir, N. C. 28645 (754-9483)

SUNDAY SCHOOL PROGRAM COUNCIL

Associational Sunday School Improvement Support Team

Director: Rev. Phil Duncan (Mt. Zion Church)
 1787 Cajah's Mountain Road, Hudson, N.C. 28638 (396-1241)

<u>Workshop</u>	<u>Leader</u>	<u>Place</u>	<u>Attendance</u>
Sharing Your Faith in Christ	Rev. Steve Parker	Rhodhiss First	3
A Deacon as Caregiver	Dr. Duane Kuykendall	Yadkin	2

Pastors' Training Seminars

<u>Seminar</u>	<u>Leader</u>	<u>Attendance</u>
Preaching for Impact	Dr. Kenneth Ridings	17
Time Management	Rev. Dale Fisher	12
The Minister as a Counselor	Dr. Don Mann	11
Improving Bible Study Skills	Dr. Don Cook	7

Candidates Interviewed for Ordination

This phase of the council's ministry is under the chairmanship of Dr. Billy Rivers. The council was called to meet and interview the following:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Church</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Pastor</u>
Gary Lawrence	Miller Hill	8/19/95	Rev. David Bean
Michael Harkness	Dudley Shoals	8/19/95	Rev. Don Ingle
Michael Kirby	New Life	9/26/95	Rev. Paul Sizemo

The Pastoral Ministries Council is comprised of the following: Rev. Jim Hamby, Dr. Doug Jordan, Rev. Dale Matheson, Dr. Billy River and Rev. Tom Small.

PERSONNEL COMMITTEE REPORT

Rev. Donald Ingle, Chairman

Dudley Shoals Baptist Church

The Personnel Committee has met several times this past year to continue their work on the proposed Personnel Policies. Those policies have been finalized and new job descriptions for the Director of Missions, Administrative Assistant and Financial Secretary have been written. A copy of all the items mentioned in this report are being presented to you for your consideration. Vote and questions will be taken on these items at the Winter Quarterly Meeting of the Messengers which will be held at the Clover Baptist Church in Granite Falls on January 25, 1996 at 7:00 p.m.

After vote on this recommendation, a copy of the documents will be placed in the Operations Manual at the Baptist Center.

PRAYER COUNCIL REPORT

Rev. Roger Parker, Director

Baton Baptist Church

District Prayer Meetings were scheduled in twelve of our fellow churches on the first Sunday of each month at three o'clock to give all the opportunity to pray for God's will to be done on earth.

In May 1995 the "National Day of Prayer" was observed. About 150 people attended the noon observance on the square. A tremendous time of praise through music was led by Rev. Brooks Walker, minister of music for the North Catawba Baptist Church. Dr. David Smith, pastor of First Baptist Church of Lenoir, delivered a brief message from the book of Jeremiah. Dale Fisher, director of missions, concluded the observance with a prayer for the nation.

Many thanks goes to Brother Dale Fisher for his help and leadership. See you next year.

PROPERTIES COMMITTEE REPORT

Fred King, Chairman

Nelson's Chapel Baptist Church

The committee met on June 1, 1995 to discuss the property needs of the association. Reports were given on assignments made at the last meeting held on September 13, 1994.

It was reported that the construction of a TV/VCR cabinet for the conference room and bookshelves for the director's office closet had been completed. In addition, the purchase of a collator for the mailing room and a television for the new TV/VCR cabinet had been made as approved earlier. Other building needs were considered, which included a discussion of the roof, painting and the trim around the building.

At this meeting, the 1995-96 properties budget was prepared. Some of the items included in the budget were a Phonetree, desk chair, file cabinet, chalkboard and updated computer equipment.

RECOMMENDATIONS

Jointly Presented by the Finance and Properties Committees

The Finance and Properties Committees met jointly on two occasions to discuss specific needs at the Baptist Center. Therefore, the two committees jointly make the following recommendations. The cost of each of these recommendations would be paid out of current reserves.

Recommendation No. 1

The roof on the Baptist Center is twenty-five years old. Some leaking has started around the perimeter of the roof and more serious leaking is anticipated.

The Finance and Properties Committees recommend that the roof be replaced by the Langer-Ashe Roofing Company of Lenoir for \$10,800.00. This would involve a complete tear-off of the old roof down to the tectum decking. The roof would be replaced with built-up asphalt on a gravel surface. This would be the same system that is currently on the 3,600 square feet of roof.

Recommendation No. 2

The panel trim around the top of the building is also twenty-five years old. It is beginning to pull loose from the building and has actually fallen off in one place. The trim needs to be reattached and possibly replaced in certain areas.

The Finance and Properties Committees recommend that the trim be repaired and/or replaced as needed by Taylor Brothers of Lenoir. The cost of the project should not exceed \$1,500.00.

Recommendation No. 3

It has been nearly nine years since the interior of the Baptist Center was painted. Time has come for it to be done again.

The Finance and Properties Committee recommend that Fred R. Nelson of Hudson be granted permission to paint the interior of the building at a cost of \$1,700.00. This price includes the cost of paint, painting materials and labor.

The Properties Committee is currently working on plans for a garage building to be constructed in the parking area behind the Baptist Center. The purpose of the building would be to house the association's van and disaster relief trailer, plus provide needed storage space for the association. The committee hopes to bring a recommendation to the Messengers for this project during their Winter Quarterly Meeting on January 25, 1996.

RECREATION COUNCIL REPORT

Shawn Alexander, Director

Central Baptist Church

The one event planned by the Recreational Council was a Recreation Carousel. It was scheduled for May 16, 1995, but had to be canceled.

RETIRED MINISTERS' FELLOWSHIP GROUP REPORT

Rev. A.J. Singley, Chairman

First Baptist Church of Whitnel

Quarterly fellowship luncheons were planned for the Retired Ministers' Fellowship Group on October 19, 1994, January 18, 1995, April 19 and July 19. All fellowship meetings were held at the Western Steer in Hudson. These times of fellowship are designed to provide fellowship, encouragement, dialogue and mutual care for the retired ministers and their spouses.

Rev. A.J. Singley has agreed to continue to serve as chairman for the Retired Ministers' Planning Committee for 1995-96. The committee has planned two fellowship events for the 1995-96 Associational Year. The other committee members are Reverends J. Crouse and J.W. Myers.

SECRETARIES FELLOWSHIP GROUP REPORT

Margaret Benfield, Chairman

First Baptist Church of Hudson

On Wednesday, April 26, 1995, a Church Secretaries Fellowship Luncheon was provided at the Caldwell Baptist Center for all full-time, part-time and volunteer secretaries. The luncheon was conducted as a part of "Secretaries Week". Rev. Charles "Buddy" Freeman from Gardner-Webb University was the featured speaker. The event was well attended and enjoyed by all.

SEMINARY EXTENSION REPORT

Wayne Bumgarner, Director

Center Grove Baptist Church

The course of "Old Testament Survey, Part I" was taught August 3 through November 8, 1994. Rev. Dan Redding, pastor of the Center Grove Baptist Church, taught the course. It was conducted at the church.

Two courses are scheduled for 1996. The course on the New Testament book of Hebrews will be offered February 20 through April 30. Beginning August 20 and continuing through October 29 will be a course on the Old Testament book of Isaiah. Each course will cost \$30.00 per person.

STEWARDSHIP COUNCIL REPORT

Mrs. Elsie Angle, Director

Clark's Chapel Baptist Church

The Stewardship Council of Caldwell Baptist Association sponsored a conference on "Christian Money Management" on March 21, 1995. The conference was held at the Crest View Baptist Church with five pastors and seven churches represented. Talmadge Williams, a consultant of the Baptist State Convention Minister's Support led the conference.

The Stewardship Council met on June 6, 1995 at the Baptist Center. Past goals were discussed and new goals were set for 1995-96.

Plans have been made for "The Great Challenge", a consultant-led giving program focussing on a church ministry. This program for pastors will be held at 10:00 a.m. on March 21, 1996 at the Baptist Center. Ken Batts, Stewardship Education Specialist for the Baptist State Convention will lead the program.

When requested the Stewardship Council assists churches in the development of individual and corporate stewardship endeavors.

STRATEGY COMMITTEE REPORT

Dr. David Smith, Chairman
First Baptist Church of Lenoir

The committee met on January 5, 1995 to review the progress of the "Five Year Plan" of the association. In addition, plans were considered for three "Listening Sessions" scheduled for January 24 at the Nelson's Chapel Baptist Church, on January 29 at the Harrisburg Baptist Church and on January 30 at the Oak Grove Baptist Church.

The committee met on February 13, 1995 to evaluate the "Listening Sessions" and to make recommendations to the Associational Council. The Associational Council would become responsible for dealing with suggestions gleaned from the listening sessions.

Another meeting was conducted on June 8, 1995 to plan for the 1996 Listening Sessions and to consider some suggested changes in the Constitution and Bylaws. It was decided to gain information from the association about needs and suggestions during the 1996 Winter Quarterly Meeting of the Messengers. This plan would replace the three listening sessions held in previous years. Changes to the Constitution and Bylaws were presented to the Messengers in July and will be considered as a recommendation during the Annual Meeting in October.

Proposed Amendments to the Association Constitution and Bylaws

The following amendments to the Constitution and Bylaws of the Caldwell Baptist Association, Inc. were presented to the Messengers as information during their Summer Quarterly Meeting on July 27, 1995. The amendments have gone through the proper procedure for presentation, discussion and vote on October 27 during the 111th Annual Meeting.

Constitution and Bylaws
 of the
 Caldwell Baptist Association, Incorporated

Constitution Article IV: Purpose Statement

We associate ourselves to assist member churches in fulfilling the Great Commission of Christ through fellowship, education and mission involvement.

Change "Purpose" to "Mission". The word "mission" is a more appropriate term in modern usage.)

Bylaws Article III: Finances

Section 3. The treasurer is to present to the messengers a current financial report clearly showing all receipts and disbursements during each quarterly meeting of the association. During the quarterly meeting in October, an annual financial report is to be presented. The treasurer is to provide a monthly financial report in the associational newsletter including the contributions of each church in the association.

Delete the underlined sentence. This will allow more space in the newsletter.)

Article V: Meetings

Section 1. The messengers of the association meet quarterly to receive information and reports and to transact the business of the association. The meetings are held in October (Fall Meeting), January (Winter Meeting), April (Spring Meeting), and July (Summer Meeting). The meetings in January, April and July are night meetings which are held on the fourth Thursday of each month. The meeting in October is considered the Annual Meeting of the association and is conducted on the fourth Thursday and Friday of October.

The first session of the Annual Meeting is held on Thursday night. The second (final) session is conducted on Friday morning, concluding at lunch. The annual meeting is to be held in one church on Thursday and in another church on Friday. The association is responsible for providing lunch for the messengers on Friday. The association has the option of charging for the meal on a cost recovery basis, or may pay for the meal out of the associational budget.

(Delete the underlined sentence. This will allow the Associational Meetings Committee to have the Annual Meeting in one church.)

Article VII: Organization and Leadership

E. CHURCH ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS

2. Councils:

- c. The Discipleship Training Council assists the churches in starting, improving and expanding Christian discipleship through their Discipleship Training programs.

(Delete underlined word. The word "training" is being dropped throughout the conventions. The reason is that discipleship and training are fairly synonymous meaning.)

F. FELLOWSHIP GROUPS

2. Groups:

- d. The Ministers and Wives' Quarterly Fellowship Group is for all Caldwell Baptist Ministers and their spouses.

(Delete underlined word. The committee that plans the fellowships would like to offer two fellowships instead of four.)

Proposed Amendments to the Association's Bylaws

The following amendments to the Bylaws of the Caldwell Baptist Association, Inc. are presented as information to the Messengers from the Strategy Committee. Discussion and vote will take place on Thursday, January 25, 1996 during the Winter Quarter Meeting of the Messengers at the Clover Baptist Church in Granite Falls. The meeting will begin at 7:00 p.m.

Recommendation No 1

Current Reading:

Article I: Administrative Policies

Section 1. The associational staff is responsible for scheduling the use of the Baptist Center in Lenoir and the Caldwell Cottage at Ridgecrest.

Proposed Reading:

Article I: Administrative Policies

Section 1. The associational staff is responsible for scheduling the use of the Baptist Center, the association's van, and all other associational properties available for use. (changed the underlined wording)

Recommendation No. 2

delete the entire current section on personnel and replace with the following statements.
The current reading is found on pages 118-120 of the 1994 Annual Minutes.

Article VII: Organization and Leadership**Section 1.****B.****PERSONNEL**

1. **Positions:**
In addition to a Director of Missions, the association employs other personnel as needed to help fulfill its mission.
2. **Policies:**
Located in the association's Operations Manual are policies relating to all employees and job descriptions for each position.

Recommendation No. 3**Article VII: Organization and Leadership****Section 1.****D.****ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES**

3. **Board of Directors:**
 - a. The Board of Directors acts as the legal agent of the association. Its duties are to: (1) serve as legal representative of the association; (2) act as directed by the associational messengers in handling legal matters; (3) oversee the total insurance plan of the association; (4) hold in trust any property, money, endowment or other securities of the association; (5) exercise the power, under the instruction of the associational messengers, to hold, buy, sell, and convey property, both real and personal, and to sign all papers necessary for the purchase of conveyance; and to (6) act in behalf of the associational messengers, under unusual and extreme circumstances, giving a full report to the messengers as soon as possible to explain action taken.

The Board of Directors consists of eleven members. Serving are the five officers of the association, plus six other members, one from each of the six associational districts. The six associational district members are each elected for a three-year term with the terms rotating, so that only two members are elected each year. The Moderator serves as the presiding officer of the board. The Board of Directors meets annually in October and at other times as necessary.

Proposed Reading:

3. **Board of Directors:**
 - a. . . purchase or conveyance; (6) assist the Personnel Committee with actions regarding employee dismissal; and to (7) act in behalf. . .

change the current number 6 to number 7. Add the phrase dealing with employees.)

**STATISTICAL COMPARISON
CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, INC.
1992-95**

	1992	1993	1994	1995
Churches	72	72	74	74
Church Members	26,706	26,402	26,218	25,667
Baptisms	662	536	525	533
Additions by Letter	709	621	795	686
Total additions	1,371	1,157	1,320	1,219
Sunday School Enrollment	16,126	14,927	15,467	15,141
S.S. Average Attendance	7,574	7,214	7,115	7,440
VBS Enrollment	7,425	6,413	6,891	6,098
D.T. Enrollment	4,243	3,947	3,936	3,132
D.T. Average Attendance	1,995	1,583	1,616	N/A
WMU Enrollment	3,073	2,850	2,942	2,750
Brotherhood Enrollment	1,435	1,430	1,581	1,955
Music Ministry Enrollment	4,124	3,980	4,196	3,503
Music Ministry Average Att.	2,346	2,222	N/A	N/A
Lottie Moon Offering	240,983	228,390	246,951	
Annie Armstrong Offering	94,307	95,000	90,506	95,570
NC Missions Offering	27,667	25,175	27,246	22,523
Cooperative Program Gifts	766,291	713,634	759,150	741,453
Total Mission Gifts	1,699,563	1,628,561	1,860,072	1,711,555
Undesignated Receipts	7,409,910	7,902,065	8,272,109	8,468,042
Total Church Receipts	9,277,696	9,528,149	10,416,978	10,351,170

This information is from 65 of our 74 churches. In reality, many of the figures are higher. The following 10 churches did not return their Annual Church Profile: Blai Fork, Cajahs Mountain, Dry Ponds, Globe, Green Rock, Hibriten, Johns River, Liberty and Pisgah.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL COUNCIL REPORT
Rev. Phillip Duncan, Director
Mt. Zion Baptist Church**

The 1994-95 Associational Sunday School year included two associational events along with the usual Vacation Bible School clinics.

The first event was a Sunday School Outreach Conference held at the First Baptist Church of Hudson on Thursday, June 1, 1995. This event consisted of the Associational Sunday School Council leading a carousel of mini conferences on outreach ideas taken from the book compiled by Harry Piland, "Going . . . One on One." We had thirty-five participants in this conference representing ten churches.

The second event was a Sunday School Rally on the new SBC Sunday School theme, "Carry the Light". This event was held at College Avenue Baptist Church on Tuesday, September 5, 1995 and was led by Phil Stone from the State Convention Sunday School Department. Phil did a very excellent job of sharing information and of motivating our group to excellence in Sunday School work. There were seventy-eight participants from thirteen churches in this conference.

BS Clinics for the year were:

Early Bird Clinic, February 2, 1995 at New Life Church	30 participants
Clinic #1, April 3, 1995 at Temple Hill Church	64 participants
Clinic #2, May 2, 1995 at Yadkin Church	71 participants
Clinic #3, May 18, 1995 at Mt. Zion Church	101 participants

This gave us a total of 266 participants from 34 churches and included nine pastors who participated in at least one clinic. Our thanks goes to Nancy Martin, our Associational BS Director, and her team for the very excellent job they did in leading these clinics.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Jack Spainhour, Treasurer
Caldwell Baptist Association, Inc.
October 1, 1994 - September 30, 1995

Balance October 1, 1994 \$ 44,209.62

Receipts:	1994/95 <u>BUDGET</u>	10/1/94 - <u>9/30/95</u>
A. Undesignated Receipts	179,861.00 . . .	178,733.00
B. Designated Receipts		
1. Annual Minutes	1,600.00	1,550.00
2. Baptist State Convention	3,000.00	2,017.90
3. Caldwell Cottage . . . . .	.00 . . . . .	.00
4. Miscellaneous	<u>1,500.00</u>	<u>5,422.15</u>
Total Receipts	185,961.00	<u>187,723.05</u>

Total Receipts and Beginning Balance \$231,932.67

DISBURSEMENTS:

A. Administrative Services		
1. Annual Minutes	3,200.00	2,798.17
2. Baptist Center Media Library		
a. Equipment	100.00	51.94
b. Materials	950.00	948.68
3. Committees		
a. Communications	300.00	25.25
b. Miscellaneous Expense	100.00	24.49
c. Properties		
1. Baptist Center		
a. Custodian	2,950.00	2,950.00
b. Main/Bldg. Improvements	1,400.00	854.90
c. Office Equipment	2,500.00	2,486.34
d. Utilities & Insurance	10,000.00	9,693.38
2. Caldwell Cottage	1,200.00	600.82
3. Disaster Relief Unit	300.00	300.00
4. Van	6,000.00	17,457.91
4. Contingency (Memorials)	250.00	446.14

5. Office Expense	17,000.00	16,832.62
6. Treasurer	<u>825.00</u>	<u>825.00</u>
Total Administrative Services	47,075.00	56,295.64
B. Coordinating		
1. Administrative Services Council	100.00	.00
2. Associational Council	900.00	619.54
3. Fellowship Council	<u>100.00</u>	<u>28.74</u>
Total Coordinating	1,100.00	648.28
C. Fellowship Groups		
1. Bivocational Ministers	100.00	213.60
2. Church Secretaries	250.00	237.75
3. Minister's Conference	600.00	236.29
4. Minister's & Wives Qtly. Fell.	750.00	586.10
5. Minister's Wives	150.00	80.84
6. Music Leaders	100.00	.00
7. Retired Ministers	150.00	32.05
8. Youth Leaders	<u>50.00</u>	<u>38.44</u>
Total Fellowship Groups	2,150.00	1,425.07
D. Governing (Messengers)		
1. Annual Meeting Meal	850.00	712.50
2. Miscellaneous & Speakers	<u>1,400.00</u>	<u>338.42</u>
Total Governing	2,250.00	1,050.92
E. Mission Performance Programs		
1. Brotherhood Council	1,700.00	1,810.65
2. Christian Life Council	2,000.00	988.49
3. Discipleship Training Council	1,388.00	885.41
4. Evangelism Council	3,500.00	2,221.23
5. Family Ministry Council	2,100.00	2,199.54
6. Media Library Council	350.00	254.24
7. Missions Development Council	1,000.00	788.00
8. Music Ministry Council	1,100.00	480.13
9. Pastoral Ministries Council	1,200.00	495.12
10. Prayer Council	800.00	162.33
11. Recreation Council	200.00	200.00
12. Seminary Extension Council	750.00	5.00
13. Stewardship Council	150.00	38.14
14. Sunday School Council	900.00	451.10
15. W.M.U. Council	<u>2,875.00</u>	<u>2,875.00</u>
Total Mission Performance Programs	20,013.00	13,854.38
F. Personnel		
1. Salaries		
a. Director of Missions	26,899.00	26,899.56
b. Assoc. Director of Missions	.00	.00
c. Administrative Assistant	21,157.00	21,156.72
d. Financial Secretary	11,050.00	11,050.00
2. Benefits		
a. Housing and Utilities		
1. Director of Missions	14,570.00	14,569.88
2. Assoc. Dir. of Missions	.00	.00
b. Insurance		
1. Director of Missions	6,250.00	5,677.79
2. Administrative Asst.	6,900.00	2,949.63
3. Financial Secretary	1,200.00	1,200.00
c. Retirement		
1. Director of Missions	6,220.00	6,219.96
2. Administrative Asst.	3,174.00	3,174.00
3. Christmas Gifts		
a. Director of Missions	797.00	797.00
b. Assoc. Director of Missions	.00	.00

c.	Administrative Assistant	407.00	407.00
d.	Financial Secretary	213.00	213.00
4.	Ministry Expense		
a.	Automobile		
1.	Director of Missions	3,600.00	2,993.20
2.	Assoc. Dir. of Missions	.00	.00
3.	Administrative Asst.	250.00	275.68
4.	Financial Secretary	250.00	356.11
b.	Hospitality - Materials		
1.	Director of Missions	600.00	600.01
2.	Assoc. Dir. of Missions	.00	.00
c.	Meetings - Mission Trips		
1.	Director of Missions	2,200.00	2,101.76
2.	Assoc. Dir. of Missions	.00	.00
3.	Administrative Asst.	250.00	206.61
4.	Financial Secretary	250.00	230.63
5.	Taxes		
a.	FICA		
1.	Director of Missions	3,172.00	3,172.00
2.	Assoc. Dir. of Missions	.00	.00
3.	Administrative Asst.	1,619.00	1,681.07
4.	Financial Secretary	845.00	878.11

Total Personnel 111,873.00 106,808.72

G. Special Missions

1.	Minister's Support	1,500.00	750.00
2.	Caldwell Schools Bible Class	.00	1,700.00

Total Special Missions 1,500.00 2,450.00

Total Disbursements 185,961.00 182,533.01

Balance in General Fund September 30, 1995 \$ 49,399.66

DESIGNATED FUNDS (Balance as of 9/30/95):

A.	Associational Basketball	\$ 215.05
B.	Caldwell County Disaster Relief (Hovis Allen Memorial)	175.00
C.	Caldwell Retirement Home Project	.76
D.	Disaster Relief Unit	466.64
E.	Disaster Relief Volunteers	1,336.12
F.	Green Mountain Park	826.00
G.	Literacy Program	42.10
H.	Mission Trips	997.55

Balance in Designated Funds - September 30, 1995 \$ 4,059.22

TOTAL FUNDS \$ 53,458.88

ANALYSIS OF RECEIPTS

October 1, 1994 - September 30, 1995

ton \$ 3,478.62
 thany 200.00
 airs Fork .00
 ue Ridge 900.00
 affalo Cove 717.19
 ajahs Mtn. 550.00
 lvary 1,000.00
 dar Rock 2,012.00
 nter Grove 2,158.00
 ntral 6,112.69
 ark's Chapel 5,808.72
 earview .00
 over 3,350.40
 ollege Ave. 4,200.00
 oncord 7,851.49
 onway's Chapel .00

Crest View 3,401.80
 Dry Ponds 6,638.42
 Dudley Shoals 17,846.28
 Edgemont .00
 Fellowship 3,300.00
 Flemings Chapel 2,693.79
 Friendship 3,589.97
 Gethsemane 553.44
 Globe .00
 Grandin 100.00
 Grandview Park 153.00
 Granite Falls First 1,999.92
 Green Rock .00
 Green Valley 180.00
 Harris Chapel 539.78
 Harrisburg 999.96

Hartland	5,768.36
Hibriten . . . . .	.00
Hudson First	8,000.04
Indian Hills	500.00
John's River . . . . .	.00
Kings Creek	3,700.00
Lakeview	2,756.12
Lenoir First	7,725.00
Liberty . . . . .	.00
Livingston Memorial	695.37
Lower Creek	5,933.34
Meadowbrook	3,501.56
Miller Hill	3,879.18
Mountain Grove	3,486.73
Mountain View	300.00
Mt. Carmel	593.60
Mt. Zion	14,643.51
Mulberry	450.00
Mulvale	1,800.00
Nelson's Chapel	1,200.00
New Life . . . . .	.00

North Catawba	1,438.72
Oak Grove	1,200.00
Open Door	325.00
Piney Grove	600.00
Pisgah . . . . .	.00
Poovey's Chapel	870.00
Poovey's Grove	723.47
Providence	300.00
Rhodhiss First	3,587.55
Rocky Springs	1,329.00
Rufus . . . . .	.00
Setzer Creek	3,075.00
Sunrise	1,200.00
Temple Hill	3,892.67
Union	4,884.00
Union Grove	2,470.00
West Lenoir . . . . .	.00
Whitnel First	4,674.31
Yadkin	2,645.00
Yadkin Valley . . . . .	.00
Zacks Fork	250.00

TOTAL UNDESIGNATED RECEIPTS: \$ 178,733.00

TOTAL DESIGNATED RECEIPTS: 8,990.05

TOTAL 1993-94 RECEIPTS: \$ 187,723.05

WMU 82nd ANNUAL MEETING

Setzer Creek Baptist Church — 6:45 P.M. — April 3, 1995

Theme: "A Time to Grow"

The 82nd Annual WMU meeting was held at Setzer Creek Baptist Church on April 1995 at 6:45 p.m. Alma Helton brought our meeting to order. We were graciously welcomed to the church by Diane Moretz. She reminded us that refreshments and fellowship time would follow provided by the church WMU members.

Mary Suddreth gave an interpretation of our theme "A Time to Grow." WMU wants "grow" in numbers and spiritually. In October 1995 we will learn to grow in "change." This change is very flexible. "Time" - a framework for celebrating our 150 years SBC - linking our missions and missionaries of yesteryear and today.

Our Prayer Calendar was presented by Carole Church with help from WMU members who made a live "flower pot" collage at the church front with our missionaries birthdays. Carole read from Matthew 28:20 and reminded us of Jesus' promise to be with us to the end of the age - this promise to our missionaries and us.

We received a special emphasis by Vicki Overcash and Kim Davis reminding us of how valuable and important BYW has always been in their lives and churches. They both gave personal testimony to the support BYW provides spiritually, emotionally and socially.

Mary Suddreth presented a cake to Dale Fisher to help him "grow" and we all sang "Happy Birthday" to him. Dale led us in a prayer of dedication for our officers and leaders who will be serving for the upcoming year.

Announcements were made by group representatives. Alma Helton recognized with pride the churches who had met requirements for special recognition during the past year. Congratulations! Clover - 10 years; Crest View - 8 years; Dudley Shoals - 5 years; Flemings Chapel - 9 years; Friendship; Hartland; Hudson First - 3 years; Mill Hill; Mt. Zion - 5 years; Temple Hill - 13 years. The current WMU Council gave a "one-time only" performance of our song of the year, "A Time to Grow".

The Time and Place Committee presented the following: Our 83rd Annual WMU Meeting will be held at the First Baptist Church of Hudson in 1996. The date and time will be announced at a future time.

1994-95 RESOLUTIONS

The Resolutions Committee of 1994-95 wishes to say "thank you" to the following who are making this a special night to remember for the WMU of Caldwell Baptist Association.

To Setzer Creek Baptist Church and their pastor, Rev. Kenneth Mashburn, for the opportunity to use these lovely buildings to hold our 82nd Annual Meeting. To Diane Foretz and all of the WMU members as they make us welcome with their Christian love, fellowship and refreshments.

To those who lead us in our worship and praise through music — Marlene Alexander and Vickie Parker and our special soloist Karla Lowman. We thank God that they use their talents for His glory.

To Carole Church for providing us with our Prayer Calendar information and reminding us that our missionaries always need our prayers and support and especially on their birthday.

To Vicki Overcash and Kim Davis as they share a special emphasis on, "What BYW Means to Me." We are so thankful for Christian young women, those who lead them and what this group means to those who support it.

To the two who lead us so faithfully, Alma Helton and Mary Suddreth. We are blessed to have strong Christians committed to service to our Lord. We encourage each of you to always be strong prayer partners for them and each other.

To the WMU Associational Council we express many thanks as they have planned and led us through this "time to grow" in our association and WMU. Their leadership has touched many lives in Christ's name.

To all of you who have given so generously of your time and yourselves this past year as you have served on one or more committees. You are so important and so necessary to this work in missions for the Lord.

To our WMU Leadership committee which Barbara Fisher has led in praying for and contacting women to serve for our new year. We thank all of you for your persistence in phoning, talking to face to face and praying women into positions of leadership where God can use them as they serve faithfully and where each person can grow in learning and leading.

To our Ruth Keller Scholarship Committee chaired by Jan Lail which has screened applicants and through the generosity of this fund provided scholarship for many which will enable them to become more knowledgeable and able in sharing God's Word.

To Dale Fisher our Director of Missions as he so willingly combines his schedule with ours to make an unbeatable team as we all work together in service. Dale keeps us encouraged and challenged as we strive to learn and lead in this ministry. To the staff of the Associational Office who keep us informed and are always available for last minute changes and are so wonderful in taking care of all we give them to do.

To Mary Small, our special speaker, who makes us rejoice anew that we know and serve the same Lord she knows and has served so faithfully for many years. Mary has retired from the foreign mission field but still stays so busy sharing with many the blessings and hardships involved in being available when God calls. We sincerely appreciate her fitness and her continuing involvement in WMU.

To each person who is here tonight in whatever capacity, we appreciate you and pray that you will continue to lift each other up as we find our "time to grow" together in our service for the Lord.

WMU COUNCIL REPORT
Mrs. Alma Helton, Director
Dudley Shoals Baptist Church

"May the Lord make your love for one another and for all people grow more and more (I Thessolians 3: 12a) Using this verse WMU of Caldwell launched into a new year with great excitement. Many new things were planned for the WMU.

- Oct. 10, 1994 - "Acteens Night Out" This event was a time of fellowship for you ladies and their leaders.
- November 7 Baptist Women and Baptist Young Women hosted an evening prayer. Mary Lindsay and Vicki Overcash were in charge. Ton a Edith Kennedy had an excellent program for us. Crest View WM also had a good program.
- November 17 WMU Council met and plans were discussed for up coming even
- December WMU was involved with Foreign Mission Study and the Week Prayer for Foreign Misisions during December.
- December 3 Mary Lindsay was the hostess at her home for the WMU Coun Christmas evening.
- January 19, 1995 The WMU Council met at the Baptist Center. The Financial Rep was given and minutes from the last meeting were read. Both w approved. Plans were finalized for "Project Help: Hunger". Fo and money will be collected in February for this project.
- February 12 This was the big day for "Project Help: Hunger". Our church collected 4,748 cans of food and \$1,565.98 in money. This w bagged and delivered to different agencies in Caldwell County. T WMU Council and other WMU ladies are to be commended for th hard work in making all this possible.
- February 16 Baptist Women and Baptist Young Women hosted a Prayer Retr at Friendhsip Baptist Church. Walter and Jacquelin Ford were t guest speakers. The WMU from Friendship served wonder refreshments.
- March 16 The WMU Council met at the Baptist Center.
- March 25 Carole Church and her GA Council sponsored an wonderful day GA Camp at Clovr Church. There were hot dogs and marshmello to eat along with clowns, puppets and a special missionary from t Philippines to entertain the GAs.
- March 31-April 2 State WMU Meeting was held at Ridgecrest. Here we heard ab changes and more changes.
- April 3 The 82nd Annual WMU Meeting was held at the Setzer Cr Baptist Church.
- May 1 Cathy Phillips, missionary from Peru, was the special speaker at t BYW Banquet which was held at the Harris Chapel Church. T church served a delicious meal.
- May 13 "Party Time" for Mission Friends was held at the Clover Chur Gwyn Warren, Mission Friends Director, was in charge.
- May 19 The GA Mother/Daughter was held at the Ridgecrest Conferen Center. The missionary speaker was Judy Knight.

- June 1 The WMU Annual Planning Meeting was held at the Baptist Center. Calendar plans were made for the 1995-96 associational year.
- July In July the WMU Council attended leadership conference at Caraway.
- September 14 The WMU Council met at the Baptist Center
- September 18 The WMU Leadership Conference was held at Central Church. Here WMU leaders learned about changes in WMU.

WMU FINANCIAL REPORT October 1, 1994 - September 30, 1995

Balance brought forward October 1, 1993 \$ 1,563.24

Receipts:

Caldwell Baptist Association	\$ 2,875.00
'94 WMU Ridgecrest Retreat Refund	33.00
World Day of Prayer	150.00
Missionary Love Gifts (Wall)	200.00
Miscellaneous Reimbursements	26.87
Project Help: HUNGER	1,565.98
Hudson Prison Ministry	10.00
Rex House Ministry	10.00
BYW Banquet	395.50
GA Day Camp	309.00
GA Mother/Daughter	1,530.00
Ridgecrest Refund on GA Mother/Daughter	241.25
WMU, NC Supplement-GA Mother/Daughter	300.00
'95 WMU Ridgecrest Retreat	747.00
TOTAL RECEIPTS	<u>8,393.60</u>

GRAND TOTAL \$ 9,956.84

Expenses:

World Day of Prayer	\$ 150.00
Missionary Love Gifts (Wall)	200.00
Rex House Ministry	10.00
Hudson Prison Ministry	10.00
'95 WMU Ridgecrest Retreat	765.00
WMU General Expense	1,097.60
(training, materials, supplies, love gifts, etc.)	
Baptist Women	90.60
Baptist Young Women	702.45
Acteens	80.00
GA's	2,461.96
(Day Camp-564.57; Mother/Daughter-1,878.11; Other-19.28)	
Mission Friends	<u>35.35</u>
TOTAL EXPENSES	<u>5,602.96</u>

BALANCE ON HAND SEPTEMBER 30, 1995 \$ 4,353.88

RUTH KELLER CRAIG SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Balance brought forward October 1, 1994 \$ 607.62

Interest applied	\$ 15.37
Annual WMU Mtg. Receipts	<u>173.26</u>
Total Deposits	<u>188.63</u>
BALANCE ON HAND SEPTEMBER 30, 1995	<u>\$ 796.25</u>

YOUTH LEADERS FELLOWSHIP GROUP REPORT

Mrs. Anna Dean Smith, Coordinator
Mountain Grove Baptist Church

This year Youth Fellowship Meetings were scheduled for evening meetings at the different churches. This was done so our volunteer workers would be able to attend. We also schedule luncheon meetings at Shoneys for other months.

There are only two meetings scheduled for the 1995-96 associational year. They will be held on October 10, 1995 and April 10, 1996. At these meetings we will have some literature for the volunteer workers.

All full-time, part-time and volunteer youth leaders are invited to attend these fellowship meetings. This is a wonderful opportunity to meet and share with other youth workers in our association.

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION of the CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, INC.

A copy of this document can be found in the 1991 Annual Minutes of pages 99-100

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Route 2, Box 380, Lenoir, N.C. 28645 (757-0700)

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**CONSTITUTION AND BYLAWS
of the
CALDWELL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, INCORPORATED**

CONSTITUTION

Preamble

The Constitution has been established to identify and preserve the fundamental truths and basic beliefs of this association.

Article I: Name

The name of the corporation is the Caldwell Baptist Association, hereinafter referred to as "association."

Article II: Duration

On October 22, 1885, sixteen churches met at the Rocky Springs Baptist Church to organize the Caldwell Baptist Association. The duration of this association is perpetual.

Article III: Location

Section 1. The member churches of this association are located in and adjacent to Caldwell County, North Carolina.

Section 2. The Caldwell Baptist Center, located at 208 Nuway Circle, Northeast, in Lenoir, North Carolina 28645, is recognized as the official headquarters of this association.

Article IV: Mission Statement

We associate ourselves to assist member churches in fulfilling the Great Commission of Christ through fellowship, education and mission involvement.

Article V: Membership

The association is composed of cooperating Southern Baptist Churches which have been approved for membership by the associational messengers in accordance with the procedures described in the Bylaws.

Article VI: Authority

Section 1. This association is an autonomous body which is governed only by the duly elected messengers from the churches that compose it. Every messenger has the right to vote on all matters of business presented at any quarterly or called meeting of the association provided that the messenger is present. Absentee voting is prohibited.

Section 2. This association may advise and assist member churches as requested, but may not infringe upon the rights of these churches. The association recognizes each church as a self-governing body that has voluntarily decided to be affiliated with the association.

Article VII: Relationships

Section 1. This association is composed of member churches that govern and support it.

Section 2. All internal groups created and empowered by the association are only accountable to the association.

Section 3. The association voluntarily cooperates with and supports the North Carolina Baptist State Convention and the Southern Baptist Convention.

Article VIII: Basic Beliefs

This association accepts the doctrinal statements of *The Baptist Faith and Message* as adopted by the Southern Baptist Convention in 1963. A copy of *The Baptist Faith and Message* is available for study in the Media Library of the Caldwell Baptist Center.

Article IX: Dissolution

The association may be dissolved by a two-thirds majority vote of the messengers present at any quarterly meeting of the association, provided that the recommendation to dissolve was presented in written or typed form to the clerk and publicly stated to the messengers by the moderator or his designee at the preceding quarterly meeting of the association. Typed copies of the recommendation are to be furnished to the messengers of the association for study at least two weeks prior to the vote on the recommendation. Upon vote to dissolve, the assets of the association will be dissolved by the Board of Directors upon instruction of the messengers.

Article X: Amendments

This Constitution may be amended by a three-fourths majority vote of the messengers present at any quarterly meeting of the association, provided that the amendment was presented in written or typed form to the clerk and publicly stated to the messengers by the moderator or his designee at the preceding quarterly meeting of the association. Typed copies of the amendment are to be furnished to the current messengers of the association for study at least two weeks prior to the vote on the amendment.

BYLAWS

Preamble

These Bylaws have been established to identify and preserve procedural matters of this association and to govern this body in an orderly manner.

Article I: Administrative Policies

Section 1. The associational staff is responsible for scheduling the use of the Baptist Center in Lenoir and the Caldwell Cottage at Ridgecrest.

Section 2. Money is to be contributed to the Gideons by the association for the purchase of memorial Bibles upon the death of a pastor, staff minister, associational leader, or a close family member of a pastor, staff minister or associational leader.

Section 3. The Clerk, the Treasurer and the Director of Missions are authorized to have access to the association's safety deposit box located at the First Union National Bank on Main Street in Lenoir.

Article II: Associational Year

The Associational Year begins on October 1 and closes on September 30.

Article III: Finances

Section 1. The fiscal year of the association begins on October 1 and closes on September 30.

Section 2. The Associational Budget for the upcoming year is to be formally presented by the Finance Committee for a vote by the messengers during the quarterly meeting of the association in July each year. In order to give the messengers adequate time to study the budget, the Finance Committee is to prepare and distribute copies of the budget to the messengers by the second Thursday of July each year. The budget becomes effective on October 1 annually. The Finance Committee is to maintain a budget format that corresponds with the organizational structure of the association.

Section 3. The treasurer is to present to the messengers a current financial report clearly showing all receipts and disbursements during each quarterly meeting of the association. During the quarterly meeting in October, an annual financial report is to be presented.

Section 4. The association maintains an ongoing "Ministers Support Fund" to temporarily assist associational pastors, church staff, retired ministers, other ministers and their immediate families during times of financial crises. The Finance Committee confidentially administers the fund, giving an annual report as to the number of persons assisted and the amount of money given.

Section 5. Each associational church is requested to contribute at least 4% of all undesignated receipts to the association.

Section 6. The association is a non-profit organization.

Article IV: Logos

Section 1. The association is to continually have a personalized logo that visually displays the identity and current work of this body.

Section 2. The association accepts and uses the logo of the Southern Baptist Convention to help identify who we are.

Article V: Meetings

Section 1. The messengers of the association meet quarterly to receive information and reports and to transact the business of the association. The meetings are held in October (Fall Meeting), January (Winter Meeting), April (Spring Meeting), and July (Summer Meeting). The meetings in January, April and July are night meetings which are held on the fourth Thursday of each month. The meeting in October is considered the Annual Meeting of the association and is conducted on the fourth Thursday and Friday of October.

The first session of the Annual Meeting is held on Thursday night. The second (final) session is conducted on Friday morning, concluding at lunch. The association is responsible for providing lunch for the messengers on Friday. The association has the option of charging for the meal on a cost recovery basis, or may pay for the meal out of the associational budget.

Section 2. The Associational Meetings Committee is fully responsible for preparing the program, selecting and contacting program participants, and for choosing and preparing the location for each meeting. The location for each quarterly meeting is to be presented in the annual "Calendar of Activities" for the forthcoming year. The committee may ask the associational messengers to move a quarterly meeting to a date one week prior to or one week after a scheduled meeting date to avoid conflict with a major denominational emphasis date. The meetings are to be held in as many member churches as practically possible on a rotating basis.

Section 3. The Moderator or the Director of Missions can call the messengers together for special meetings to deal with extremely urgent matters that cannot wait until the next quarterly meeting. Before calling a special meeting to order, a notice of at least two weeks is to be given to the messengers with a clear explanation as to the purpose of the meeting. A quorum of fifty messengers must be present to conduct a special meeting.

Section 4. The Moderator may postpone and reschedule quarterly or called meetings of the associational messengers, in cooperation with the Director of Missions

and the Associational Meetings Committee Chairman, in the event of inclement weather or other unforeseen crises.

Section 5. A quorum at each of the quarterly meetings of the association consists of those messengers who attend each meeting.

Section 6. *Robert's Rules of Order, Revised*, is the authority for parliamentary rules of procedure for all business meetings of the association.

Section 7. Visitors attending a quarterly or called meeting of the association may by approval of the body participate in debate without the privilege to vote. Visitors are welcome to attend the meetings of the association.

Section 8. All proposed resolutions or public statements to be considered by the associational messengers are to be received by the Communications Committee at least two weeks prior to the scheduled meeting of the messengers. The messengers are to consider only those proposed resolutions and public statements that have been reviewed by the Communications Committee. The committee is responsible for presenting a positive or negative recommendation to the messengers on each proposed resolution or public statement received. The proposal may be amended or substituted by the committee as a part of their recommendation. Copies of all proposed resolutions and public statements, with the name of the initiators, are to be made available to the messengers at or before the beginning of their meeting.

ARTICLE VI: Membership Procedures

Section 1. **ADMISSION:** When seeking admission into the association, a church must present to the Membership Committee a letter of request for admission. The letter should contain the name of the church, the reason for seeking admission into the association, and the date when the church voted to take such action.

- A. After receiving a request for admission into the association the Membership Committee is to meet with leaders of the church to discuss their desire for membership, to explain the associational requirements for admission, to consider any of their church approved documents and location of their meetings, and to deal with any other matters that would help the committee make a decision about their request.
- B. At the next Quarterly Meeting of the Messengers, the Membership Committee is to share the request with the association and to make one of the following recommendations:
 1. That the church requesting admission be accepted under the watchcare of the association;
 2. That action on the request be delayed for further consideration at the next quarterly meeting of the association; or
 3. That the request for membership be denied.

The committee is to give clear reason for its recommendation concerning the status of watchcare. As soon as possible following the associational meeting, the committee is to communicate the action of the association with the church first in spoken words, and then by letter.

- C. Any church that is accepted under the watchcare of the association must remain in that status for at least one full year before being admitted into the membership of the association.

1. Watchcare is a time of bonding between the association and the church seeking admission. The association is to carefully observe the faith, practice and cooperation of the church. The church under watchcare is to receive the same opportunities extended to member churches; however, members of churches under watchcare may not vote nor hold a position of leadership in the association.
 2. During the watchcare period, the church is expected to have an active part in the support of the work of the association, the North Carolina Baptist State Convention and the Southern Baptist Convention.
 3. The Membership Committee is to meet, as needed, with leaders of the church during the watchcare period to discuss their relationship with the association. Representatives of the committee are to visit during meetings of the church to observe the organization and practices of the church.
- D. Near the close of the watchcare period the committee is to evaluate the condition and cooperation of the church and to decide on one of the following recommendations to make to the association at the appropriate time concerning membership:
1. That the church requesting admission be accepted into full fellowship of the association;
 2. That action on the admission be delayed until the next quarterly meeting of the association; or
 3. That admission into the association be denied.

The committee is to give clear reason for its recommendation concerning membership. As soon as possible following the associational meeting, the committee is to communicate with the church the action of the association first in spoken words, and then by letter.

- E. A two-thirds majority vote of the messengers present is needed for the church to be accepted under watchcare or into full membership of the association.
- F. If a church is denied the status of watchcare or membership by the association, then after the lapse of one year it may submit another letter to the Membership Committee requesting admission.

Section 2. COOPERATION: A cooperating church is defined as one who sends an annual church letter to the associational clerk, is represented by duly elected messengers at quarterly associational meetings, contributes financially to the association, and is in general agreement with the purpose, basic beliefs, programs and ministries of the association.

Section 3. CONFLICT: If a member church is in conflict and requests help from the association, then the Membership Committee and/or the Director of Missions may meet with the church to counsel and work with them in an attempt to help resolve the problem(s).

Section 4. DISMISSAL: Any member church which fails to cooperate with the association is to be contacted by the Membership Committee at their discretion or upon direction of the messengers to ascertain the wishes and desires of the church relative to its continuance in the association. After counsel with the church, the committee may

choose to make a recommendation that the church be removed from the membership of the association. Such a recommendation would have to be made at a quarterly meeting of the association, and a two-thirds majority vote of the messengers present would be needed for dismissal of the church from the association.

The committee is to give clear reason for its recommendation concerning action toward the member church. As soon as possible following the associational meeting, the committee is to send a letter to the church to communicate the action taken by the association.

Section 5. WITHDRAWALS: The association recognizes that any affiliated church has the right to withdraw its fellowship from the association. It is requested that the report of such action by a church be sent to the Membership Committee in an official letter from the church.

Upon receipt of the letter, the Membership Committee is to discuss the action with leaders of the church. At the next quarterly meeting of the association, the committee is to inform the messengers of the church action. The association is to take one of the following actions:

- A. Accept the action of the church and immediately remove the church. The church is to be notified of the action by a letter from the association.
- B. Delay acceptance of the church action until the next quarterly meeting and instruct the Membership Committee to ask the church to reconsider its action.

Section 6. NOTIFICATION: The association is to immediately inform the North Carolina Baptist State Convention when a church is accepted under watchcare or membership. In addition, the convention is to be informed if a church is dismissed from the association as a member.

Article VII: Organization and Leadership

Section 1. The association is organized into six levels of operation: Governing, Personnel, Coordinating, Administrative Services, Mission Performance Programs and Fellowship Groups.

A. GOVERNING

- 1. The **ASSOCIATION-IN-SESSION** consists of the duly elected messengers by member churches in attendance at each quarterly or called meeting of the association.
- 2. Churches of fifty (50) members or less are entitled to five (5) messengers. One (1) additional messenger is allowed for each additional fifty (50) church members or major fraction thereof provided no church has more than ten (10) messengers.
- 3. In addition to the total number of messengers to which each church is entitled, each pastor and each of the five associational officers are considered messengers by virtue of their positions provided that the person is a member of the church being represented.
- 4. Churches are to elect their messengers before October each year so that the messengers can serve the full associational year from October 1 through September 30. Messengers can serve consecutive years but must be elected annually by their church. Messengers are expected to attend all of the quarterly and called meetings of the association. The

name, address, and telephone number of each messengers should be delivered by the church clerk to the associational clerk no later than October 7 each year to facilitate advance registration. This information can accompany the annual church letter.

5. The functions of the messengers are to receive current information and reports about the work of the association and groups with which it is related; transact the business of the association; and report on the meetings and activities of the association to the churches.
6. A person serving as a messenger from a church must be a member in good standing of that church.

B. PERSONNEL

1. Positions:

- a. The *Director of Missions* is the general leader of the association serving as the director of directors of all programs, ministries, and services of the association. In addition, the Director of Missions leads the association to explore new mission frontiers, and serves as a minister to the churches and church leaders.

The Director of Missions is the chief executive officer of the association, the registered agent of the corporation (association), and is an ex-officio member of all associational committees, councils, and groups. The Director serves as director of the Associational Council

Election to this office is upon recommendation of the Director of Missions Search Committee and by two-thirds majority vote of approval by the messengers at any quarterly meeting of the association. The time of service is indefinite and can be terminated by written notice to the Personnel Committee by the Director of Missions or by two-thirds majority vote of the messengers at any quarterly meeting of the association upon recommendation of the Personnel Committee.

- b. The *Associate Director of Missions* serves the association by working under the supervision of the Director of Missions in general leadership, mission strategy, ministry to churches and church leaders and as a representative to the denomination and community.

Election to this office is upon recommendation of the Personnel Committee and by two-thirds majority vote of approval by the messengers at any quarterly meeting of the association. The time of service is indefinite and can be terminated by written notice to the Personnel Committee by the Associate Director of Missions or by two-thirds majority vote of the messengers at any quarterly meeting of the association upon recommendation of the Personnel Committee.

- c. The *Administrative Assistant* serves primarily in a secretarial role. However, this individual assists the Director of Missions with daily administrative matters of the association. In addition, the person supervises the general operation of the Baptist Center

by answering the telephone, greeting visitors and helping to meet their needs. The Administrative Assistant supervises office help along with the Director of Missions. This person also serves as the Associational Clerk and as secretary of the Associational Council.

The Administrative Assistant is enlisted and recommended to the association by the Personnel Committee. A two-thirds majority vote of approval by the messengers is necessary for employment. The time of service for the Administrative Assistant is indefinite and can be terminated by written notice to the Personnel Committee by the employee or by two-thirds majority vote of the messengers upon recommendation of the Personnel Committee.

- d. The *Financial Secretary* serves as assistant to the Treasurer and helps the Administrative Assistant with office responsibilities. It is a part-time position.

The Financial Secretary is enlisted and recommended to the association by the Personnel Committee. A two-thirds majority vote of approval by the messengers is necessary for employment. The time of service for the Financial Secretary is indefinite and can be terminated by written notice to the Personnel Committee by the employee or by two-thirds majority vote of the messengers upon recommendation of the Personnel Committee.

- e. A *Summer Worker* is to be hired as needed for approximately ten weeks of work. This person, normally a student, does special projects as assigned by the Director of Missions or his designee.

The Summer Worker is enlisted and recommended to the association by the Personnel Committee. A two-thirds majority vote of approval by the messengers is necessary for employment. The association may hire more than one Summer Worker per year, if needed and money is available.

2. General:

- a. Each paid employee is to be provided by the Personnel Committee with an up-to-date job description of his responsibilities.
- b. The Director of Missions is the general supervisor of all paid employees of the association. However, the Director is to work closely with the committees and leaders who share supervision.
- c. The Personnel Committee cannot recommend the Director of Missions, the Associate Director of Missions, the Administrative Assistant, or the Financial Secretary to the association for termination of duties without proper notice and a clear explanation of such action given to the individual prior to the associational meeting at which time the recommendation for dismissal is to be made.

A closing financial arrangement is to be provided for an employee who has been dismissed by the association. The Personnel Committee is to determine a fair closing financial

arrangement and to make it a part of the recommendation for dismissal to the association.

The Summer Worker and other temporary employees may be dismissed with clear explanation by the Personnel Committee without approval by the association. No closing financial arrangement is necessary.

C. COORDINATING

1. This level of operation is made up of the Administrative Services Council, the Associational Council and the Fellowship Council. The purpose of these councils is to coordinate the overall work of the association. The Associational Council serves as the primary coordinating council.
2. Coordinating Councils:
 - a. The *Administrative Services Council* consists of the administrative services committee chairmen. The council meets only as needed to coordinate the overall work of the committees. The council director represents the committees as a member of the Associational Council.
 - b. The *Associational Council* consists of the Mission Performance Programs Directors, the Administrative Services Council Director, the Fellowship Council Director, the Director of Missions, the Associate Director of Missions and the Administrative Assistant.

The Director of Missions serves as the Council Director and the Administrative Assistant serves as secretary.

The purpose of the council is to coordinate the overall program and calendar of the association. The council meets only as needed.

- c. The *Fellowship Council* consists of the head leaders of the associational fellowship groups. The council meets only as needed to discuss fellowship needs and to coordinate the activities of the fellowship groups. The council director represents the fellowship groups as a member of the Associational Council.

D. ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES

1. This level of operation is made up of the committees, the Board of Directors, and the officers of the association. Their purpose is to carry out assigned work in order to help the association operate smoothly. There are eleven committees, the Board of Directors and five officers. Each committee chairman serves as a member of the Administrative Services Council.

The six associational district members serving on the Board of Directors and all committee members are elected for three consecutive years of service. After the lapse of at least one year a person may be nominated for a position previously held. The length of service for the officers is in accordance with their individual job descriptions.

2. Committees:

- a. The *Associational Meetings Committee* is responsible for planning and conducting the regular and called meetings of the associational messengers. The duties of this committee are to: (1) propose an order of business for each meeting of the associational messengers; (2) enlist all program personnel for the associational meetings; (3) publicize the order of business to the churches in advance of the meeting; (4) arrange for the facilities needed for each meeting; (5) arrange for and conduct proper registration of messengers and visitors at each meeting and to report registration as requested; and (6) recommend future meeting places to the associational messengers in the annual "Calendar of Activities" for the forthcoming year; the committee may ask the associational messengers to move a quarterly meeting to a date one week prior to or one week after a scheduled meeting to avoid conflict with a major denominational emphasis date. The committee consists of six members, each elected for a three-year term with the terms rotating, so that only two members are elected each year.
- b. The *Communications Committee* is responsible for communicating the programs, ministries, resolutions and services of the association to the churches and to the general public. Its duties are to: (1) develop and implement an annual Associational Emphasis Week promotion plan; (2) assist, as needed, with office-produced communications, such as: The Book of Reports and the Annual Minutes; (3) receive, review and recommend all proposed resolutions or public statements; (4) initiate resolutions or statements as needed; (5) develop promotional brochures or other literature that identifies the work of the association, and (6) assist, as requested by the association or associational leaders, in promoting or reporting the work and actions of the association through the secular media. The Communications Committee consists of six members, each elected for a three-year term with the terms rotating, so that only two members are elected each year.
- c. The *External Relations Committee* is responsible for establishing and maintaining proper relationships with groups outside the association. Its duties are to: (1) serve through individual representatives as a channel of communication between the association and various agencies, boards, foundations, and other groups affiliated with the North Carolina Baptist State Convention and the Southern Baptist Convention, and (2) communicate and work, as needed, with non-Baptist groups.

The External Relations Committee consists of the associational representatives of the American Bible Society, the Annuity Board, the Baptist Children's Homes of North Carolina, the Baptist Retirement Homes of North Carolina, the Baptist World Alliance, the Biblical Recorder, Christian Higher Education, the Foreign Mission Board, the Home Mission Board, the North Carolina Baptist Foundation, and the North Carolina Baptist Hospital, each elected for a three-year term.

The current representatives from the Caldwell Association on the General Board of the North Carolina Baptist State Convention serve on this committee as ex-officio members. These representatives are selected and elected by the convention.

- d. The *Finance Committee* assists the association in securing administering and reporting its finances. Its duties are to: (1) develop and recommend an overall financial development plan; (2) develop and recommend an associational budget based on the plans of the association's various programs and ministries; (3) plan and direct the effort to seek giving commitments from the churches; (4) conduct studies and make recommendation concerning proposed expenditures not included in the budget; (5) review expenditures periodically in terms of budget allocation and recommend budget adjustments if needed; (6) develop and recommend financial policies and procedures, including provisions for auditing; and (7) administer the associational "Minister's Support Fund." The Finance Committee consists of six elected members, each elected for a three-year term with terms rotating, so that only two members are elected each year.
- e. The *History Committee* is to gather, preserve, and interpret historical records of the association's life and work. Its duties are to: (1) work with the associational clerk in gathering and preserving past associational records; (2) assist in the recording of present-day activities; (3) communicate and interpret the heritage of the association to associational leaders and member churches; (4) use historical facts and documents to challenge the association to accomplish its mission; (5) develop and recommend to the association policies and procedures regarding its historical materials; (6) encourage churches to gather and preserve their historical records and to write, communicate, and interpret their history. The History Committee consists of six members, each elected for a three-year term with the terms rotating, so that only two members are elected each year.
- f. The *Membership Committee* is to assist the association in determining when churches are of like faith and order and can be properly accepted into the association according to the provision made in the Constitution and Bylaws of the association. Also this committee serves as a "church conflict" advisory body. In addition, this committee encourages active participation by inactive churches in the association. The duties are to: (1) recommend and implement approved guidelines as needed for receiving churches into the association and for dealing with troubled member or inactive churches in the association; (2) counsel with churches seeking admission into the association and with troubled or inactive member churches; (3) examine the credentials of churches seeking admission into the association (namely, their articles of faith or doctrinal positions, church covenant, polity -- including their constitution and bylaws -- and relationship to the denomination. The Membership Committee consists of six members, each elected for a three-year term with the terms rotating, so that only two members are elected each year.

- g. The *Nominating Committee* leads in coordinating the selection of all association-elected leaders except paid personnel. Its duties are to: (1) select, interview, enlist, and recommend general associational officers, mission performance program directors, and committee chairmen and members; (2) coordinate the selection of workers for all the association's organizations and committees; (3) approve workers before they are invited to work in program organizations; (4) distribute associational leadership according to priority needs; (5) assist associational program leaders in discovering and enlisting qualified persons to fill positions in their respective organizations; (6) present workers to the association; (7) nominate special committees as assigned by the association.

The Nominating Committee consists of six members, one from each of the six associational districts, each elected for a three-year term with the terms rotating, so that only two members are elected each year. The committee should give careful consideration that all nominees are selected fairly from all six districts of the association, and from all pastors, staff members, men and women of the churches. Each nominee must be a member in good standing in an associational church.

LEADERSHIP SELECTION

- (1) All Church Assistance Program directors are to be formally presented by the Nominating Committee for vote by the messengers at the January meeting of the association. In order to give the messengers adequate time to consider the nominees for program directors, the Nominating Committee is to prepare a complete list of the names and positions and have copies distributed to the messengers by the second Thursday in January.

The individuals approved at the January meeting of the association immediately become the program directors-elect until October when their tenure of service officially begins. The program directors-elect would meet with the Associational Council only upon request; however, each program director-elect is expected to participate in the annual calendar planning meetings.

- (2) Each program director-elect is to immediately start selecting individuals to serve on the respective program councils for the upcoming year. A complete list of the individuals selected to serve is to be presented to the Nominating Committee by March 31 by each program director-elect.
- (3) Fellowship Groups may select their own leadership or ask the Nominating Committee to do the selection. Each group that chooses its own leadership for the upcoming associational year is to present a complete list of the individuals selected to serve to the Nominating Committee by March 31.
- (4) The Board of Directors, officers, committee chairmen and members, leaders of the fellowship groups, and all

previously unelected members of program councils are to be formally presented by the Nominating Committee for vote by the messengers at the April meeting of the association. In order to give the messengers adequate time to consider the nominees, the Nominating Committee is to prepare a complete list of the names and positions and have copies distributed to the messengers by the second Thursday of April.

The individuals approved at the April meeting of the association are the leaders "elect" until October 1 when their tenure of service officially begins. Each leader has the privilege to plan and to train as necessary for the upcoming year. The leaders "elect" have no authority over the current year's work, except in a position currently held.

- (5) If vacancies occur during the year the Nominating Committee is to enlist a person to fill each vacated position and to recommend the person to the association. The committee is to work with program directors and committee chairmen as needed in filling each vacancy.
- h. The *Personnel Committee* is responsible for all paid employees of the association. Its duties are to: (1) recommend policies and procedures for the selection, supervision, and termination of associational personnel; (2) maintain up-to-date job descriptions in a manual for every paid position in the association; (3) recruit, interview, and recommend to the association new personnel, excluding the Director of Missions, in full cooperation with the appropriate supervisor; (4) develop and recommend salaries and benefits for employed personnel; (5) develop and recommend to the association policies and procedures regarding continuing education and development for the Director of Missions and other paid personnel. The Personnel Committee consists of six members, each elected for a three-year term with the terms rotating, so that only two members are elected each year. The chairman is a member of the Director of Missions Search Committee.
- i. The *Properties Committee* assists the association in the administration of all properties in Buncombe and Caldwell Counties. Its duties are to: (1) inspect and keep inventory of all associational properties; (2) secure, supervise and terminate the services of persons responsible for the care of associational properties; (3) develop and initiate scheduled cleaning procedures; (4) develop and recommend a program of preventive maintenance; (5) develop and recommend policies and procedures for using facilities and equipment; (6) request and administer maintenance, furniture, and equipment budget; (7) develop and, with the Board of Directors, recommend an adequate insurance plan for the properties. The Properties Committee consists of six members, each elected for a three-year term with the terms rotating, so that only two members are elected each year.

This committee can spend up to \$500.00 on one item without approval of the association. Items above that amount must have associational approval.

- j. The *Search Committee* is designed to serve only as needed to secure a Director of Missions. Its duties are to: (1) meet as a committee for the first time within a month following election by the association; (2) choose from within the committee a chairman, vice-chairman and secretary during the first meeting; (3) study and follow carefully the Job Description for the Director of Missions; (4) seek comments and suggestions from the association concerning the expectations of the next Director of Missions; (5) report regularly to the association on progress being made; (6) develop a list of prospects for the position; (7) narrow the list of candidates, thoroughly researching qualifications and references; (8) interview and observe most favorable candidate(s) in different settings; (9) unanimously present choice candidate to the association for approval; (10) assist newly elected Director of Missions during transition period; and (11) inform all other candidates by letter, as necessary, of the decision of the association, expressing appreciation to each person for their time and cooperation. The committee will consist of one pastor, one layman, one laywoman (all named by the Nominating Committee), plus the Moderator and Chairman of the Personnel Committee.
- k. The *Strategy Committee* assists the association in determining its strategic objectives and in staying on course in achieving them. Its duties are to: (1) monitor the needs and opportunities of the churches and provide updated information to the churches and to the associational programs annually; (2) recommend modifications in the organizational structure to help fulfill associational objectives; (3) review the association's constitution and bylaws and recommend modifications as needed; (4) maintain up-to-date job descriptions in a manual for every volunteer position in the association excluding paid workers; (5) lead the association to conduct strategy planning about every five years.
The Strategy Committee consists of six members, each elected for a three-year term with the terms rotating, so that only two members are elected each year.

3. Board of Directors:

- a. The *Board of Directors* acts as the legal agent of the association. Its duties are to: (1) serve as legal representative of the association; (2) act as directed by the associational messengers in handling legal matters; (3) oversee the total insurance plan of the association; (4) hold in trust any property, money, endowment or other securities of the association; (5) exercise the power, under the instruction of the associational messengers, to hold, buy, sell, and convey property, both real and personal, and to sign all papers necessary for the purchase or conveyance; and to (6) act in behalf of the associational messengers, under unusual and extreme circumstances, giving a full report to the messengers as soon as possible to explain action taken.

The Board of Directors consists of eleven members. Serving are the five officers of the association, plus six other members, one from each of the six associational districts. The six associational district members are each elected for a three-year term with the terms rotating, so that only two members are elected each year.

The Moderator serves as the presiding officer of the board. The Board of Directors meets annually in October and at other times as necessary.

b. Officers:

- (1) The *Moderator*, also known as president, presides over the quarterly and called meetings of the associational messengers. As the presiding officer, the Moderator (1) opens the meetings punctually at the appointed time, enforces the rules, preserves the order, and exercises all the prerogatives of a presiding officer according to the principles of established parliamentary usage (*Roberts Rules of Order, Revised*); (2) appoints a parliamentarian, if desired, to serve at any or all meetings of the associational messengers during his term of office; the person appointed must be approved by the messengers-in-session; (3) serves as an ex-officio member of all committees, councils, and groups of the association; (4) calls the associational messengers together for special meetings to deal with extremely urgent matters that cannot wait until the next quarterly meeting (Before calling a special meeting to order, a notice of at least two weeks is to be given to the associational messengers with a clear explanation as to the purpose of the meeting. A quorum of fifty associational messengers must be present to conduct a special meeting.); (5) postpones and reschedules quarterly or called meetings of the associational messengers, in cooperation with the Director of Missions and the Associational Meetings Committee Chairman, in the event of inclement weather or other unforeseen crises; and (6) serves as a member of the Director of Missions Search Committee. The Moderator is elected for a one-year term and is eligible for election to a second consecutive term; however, after serving for two consecutive years, the individual could not be considered for Moderator for at least one year.
- (2) It is the duty of the *Vice-Moderator*, also known as Vice-President, to discharge the duties of the Moderator in the absence or at the request of the Moderator. The Vice-Moderator is elected for a one-year term, and is eligible to a second consecutive term. However, after serving for two consecutive years, the individual could not be considered for Vice-Moderator for at least one year.
- (3) The *Clerk*, also known as Secretary, records and keeps in permanent form all transactions of the association and makes this information available upon request. The Clerk's duties are to: (1) serve as recorder during the meetings of the association; (2) secure from the churches the annual Uniform Church Letter and process it according to recommended procedures; (3) edit the associational annual minutes; (4) work with the History Committee to preserve the official records of the association; (5) train and assist church clerks. The Administrative Assistant serves as the Clerk of the association.

- (4) The *Treasurer* receives all of the funds contributed to the association and disburses them in accordance with the budget of the association or for which the funds were contributed. The Treasurer's duties are to: (1) serve as an ex-officio member of the Finance Committee; (2) work with the Finance Committee to recommend and establish fiscal policies; (3) maintain proper records of all monies received and disbursed; (4) provide printed quarterly and annual reports to the association of all receipts and disbursements.

The Treasurer is elected annually and can succeed himself. The chairman of the Finance Committee is authorized to fulfill the duties of the treasurer in the event the treasurer is unable to do so.

- (5) The *Director of Missions* is the chief executive officer of the association, also serving as the registered agent.

E. CHURCH ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS

1. The work of the Church Assistance Programs of the association is carried out through councils. Each council member has definite responsibilities and the number of members on each council is determined by need. Council members are elected annually. The general director of each council serves as an ex-officio member of the Associational Council. Each council has meetings according to need. Each council consists of a program director and other leaders as needed to conduct the program.
2. Councils:
 - a. The *Brotherhood Council* assists churches in educating and involving men and boys in missions.
 - b. The *Christian Life Council* informs the churches of critical moral and social issues and leads in Christian action to meet those needs. The council seeks to develop good Christian citizenship and healthy human relations.
 - c. The *Discipleship Council* assists the churches in starting, improving and expanding Christian discipleship through their Discipleship programs.
 - d. The *Evangelism Council* assists churches in reaching people for Christ through evangelistic training and by bringing the churches together in corporate efforts of evangelism.
 - e. The *Family Ministry Council* assists churches in developing family ministry programs. Special emphasis is placed on ministry activities for preschoolers, children, youth, adults and students. Training opportunities are provided for general leaders of these age groups.
 - f. The *Media/Library Council* assists churches in the establishment, development and improvement of church media library services.

In addition, the council is responsible for organizing and operating the associational Media Library in the Baptist Center.

- g. The *Missions Development Council* leads the churches to discover opportunities for associational, state, home and foreign missions and to assist the churches in doing mission projects individually and corporately. The council works closely with the Brotherhood, Sunday School and WMU Councils.
- h. The *Music Ministry Council* assists the churches through establishing, conducting, enlarging and improving their music ministries.
- i. The *Pastoral Ministries Council* assists the churches in the development of pastoral ministries, deacon ministry, vocational guidance and church administrative services. In addition, the council ministers to the distinctive needs of pastors, deacons, church staff persons, church councils, church officers and committee members and church vocation volunteers. This council is responsible for interviewing candidates for ordination to the "Gospel Ministry" as requested by the churches.
- j. The *Prayer Council* is responsible for promoting prayer in the churches, providing opportunities for prayer among the churches, and offering conferences and seminars on prayer.
- k. The *Recreation Council* assists churches in providing recreation methods, materials, services, and experiences and is available to other associational organizations wishing to use recreation in accomplishing their particular tasks.
- l. The *Seminary Extension Council* promotes and provides practical and theological education to ministers and laypersons on basic and college levels.
- m. The *Stewardship Council* assists the churches in the development of individual and corporate stewardship.
- n. The *Sunday School Council* assists and challenges churches to improve and enlarge all areas of their Sunday School through planning, training, administration activities, consultation, program interpretation, and cooperative projects.
- o. The *Woman's Missionary Union Council* assists churches in promoting missions and in establishing, enlarging, and strengthening WMU work.

E. FELLOWSHIP GROUPS

- 1. The purpose of the Fellowship Groups is to provide a setting for particular groups to meet together for fellowship, dialogue, encouragement and mutual care. Hopefully, as the individual groups meet together the fellowship of the whole association can be strengthened.

Each group determines its own leadership in cooperation with the Associational Nominating Committee, and plans its own activities in

cooperation with the Associational Fellowship Council. The leader of each fellowship group is a member of the Fellowship Council.

2. Groups:

- a. The *Bivocational Ministers' Fellowship Group* is for all ordained pastors and other ministers who have a secular vocation in addition to their church vocation.
- b. The *Church Secretaries' Fellowship Group* includes all Caldwell Baptist church and associational secretaries.
- c. The *Ministers' Conference Fellowship Group* includes all pastors, bivocational pastors, church staff ministers, other ministers and retired ministers in the association.
- d. The *Ministers and Wives' Fellowship Group* is for all Caldwell Baptist Ministers and their spouses.
- e. The *Ministers Wives' Fellowship Group* includes all the wives of active, deceased, or retired ministers in the association.
- f. The *Music Leaders' Fellowship Group* includes all paid and volunteer ministers of music, directors of music, organists, pianists, and other music leadership in the churches and the association. This group cooperates with the Music Ministry Council of the association.
- g. The *Retired Ministers' Fellowship Group* includes all retired Southern Baptist ministers and their spouses living in the associational area.
- h. The *Youth Ministers' Fellowship Group* consists of all paid and volunteer ministers of youth, youth directors and other youth leaders in the churches of the association. The Associational Youth Director of the Family Ministry Council serves as a member of this group.

Section 2. Every committee, council or fellowship group has the authority to appoint temporary sub-groups to carry out specific assignments as needed. The sub-group ceases to exist at the completion of the assignment. Permanent, but not temporary, sub-groups must be suggested to and approved by the Nominating Committee and then by the messengers of the association.

Section 3. Every associational committee and council is to choose a secretary to record the proceedings of each meeting.

Section 4. Associational leaders and representatives are responsible for presenting written and/or verbal reports to the association as requested.

Section 5. An up-to-date "Organizational Chart" is to be maintained to visibly reveal the overall associational operation.

Section 6. An "Operations Manual" is to be maintained by the Associational Staff in the Baptist Center, containing such items as: paid and volunteer job descriptions, administrative policies, the Articles of Incorporation and the Constitution and Bylaws.

The appropriate groups within the associational organization are to assist the staff in keeping the manual up-to-date.

Section 7. Each ex-officio member serving on a council, committee or group is entitled to full voting rights.

Section 8. The General Board members of the Baptist State Convention from the Caldwell Association are to represent the association to the State Convention and vice-versa. The Board members are encouraged to report to the association about Board actions.

Article VIII: Printed Material

Section 1. A periodical newsletter known as the "Caldwell Baptist Caller" is published to communicate information about the work of and matters of interest to the association.

Section 2. The Annual Minutes are prepared to serve as a record of information about the association.

Section 3. An "Associational Directory" is prepared annually and updated quarterly to provide information on who are associational leaders, church leaders, and other persons of interest to the association and how to contact them.

Section 4. A "Calendar of Activities" is prepared annually to inform the churches of upcoming events in or related to the association.

Section 5. Reports to the association and promotional pieces about the work of the association are printed as needed.

Section 6. Each member church is expected to prepare and deliver to the associational clerk the "Annual Church Profile" by October 7 each year.

Article IX: Amendments

These Bylaws may be amended by a two-thirds majority vote of the messengers present at any quarterly meeting of the association provided that the amendment was presented in written or typed form to the clerk and publicly stated to the messengers by the moderator or his designee at the preceding quarterly meeting of the association. Typed copies of the amendment are to be furnished to the current messengers of the association for study at least two weeks prior to a vote on the amendment.

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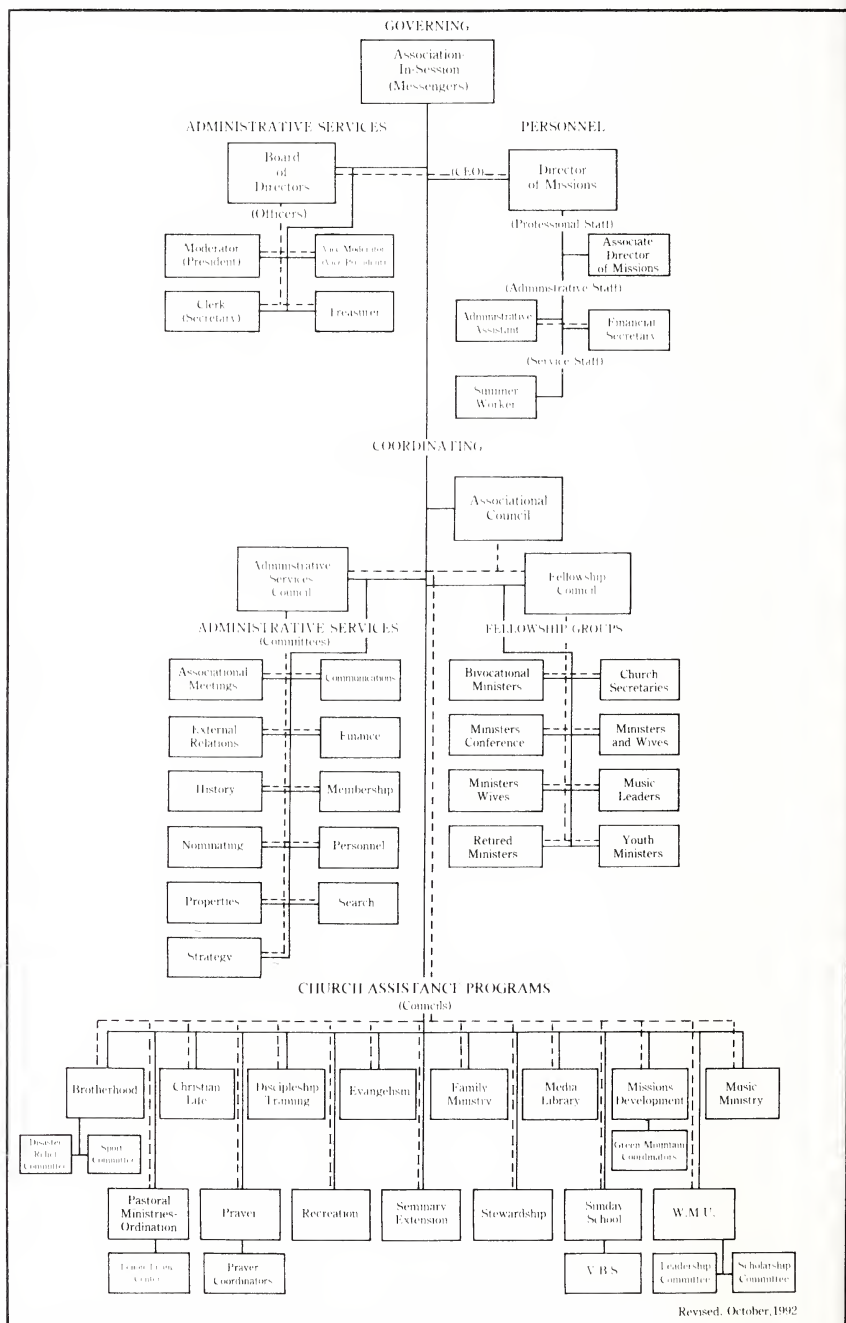
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TABLE A ** CHURCH MEMBERSHIP AND OTHER INFORMATION **

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|--------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|------------------------------|
| 1. Year Organized | | | 5. Racial/Ethnic Group 1-28) |
| 2. Pastor (Y/N) | | | 6. Total Baptisms: |
| 3. Year Pastor Came | | | a) Baptisms under 6 yrs |
| 4. Church Location Code: | | | b) Baptisms 6-8 yrs |
| 1. Open Country | Medium City | Large City | c) Baptisms 9-11 yrs |
| 2. Village | 5. Downtown | 8. Downtown | |
| 3. Town | 6. Neighborhood | 9. Neighborhood | |
| 4. Small City | 7. Suburbs | 0. Suburbs | |

CHURCHES	COUNTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	6a	6b	6
BATON BAPTIST CHURCH	Caldwell	1950	Y	1991	1	01	2	0	0	
BETHANY	CALDWELL	1902	Y	1994	1	01	0	0	0	
BLAIRS FORK							0	0	0	
BLUE RIDGE BAPTIST	CALDWELL	1991	Y	1994	4	01	5	2	2	
BUFFALO COVE	CALDWELL	1851	Y	1992	1	01	4	0	0	
CAJAHS MOUNTAIN	CALDWELL						0	0	0	
CALVARY BAPTIST	CALDWELL	1945	Y	1975	7	01	8	0	1	
CEDAR ROCK	CALDWELL	1942	Y	1985	1	05	4	0	1	
CENTER GROVE	CALDWELL	1912	Y	1989	1	01	5	0	0	
CENTRAL BAPTIST	CALDWELL	1938	Y	1992	7	01	5	0	0	
CLARKS CHAPEL	Caldwell	1900	Y	1985	1	01	4	0	0	
CLEARVIEW	CALDWELL	1955	Y	1984	1	01	14	0	0	
CLOVER	CALDWELL	1942	Y	1987	4	01	16	0	5	
COLLEGE AVENUE	CALDWELL	1910	N		4	01	2	0	1	
CONCORD BAPTIST	Caldwell	1908	Y	1985	3	01	10	0	1	
CONWAYS CHAPEL	CALDWELL	1905	Y	1993	1	01	0	0	0	
CREST VIEW	Caldwell	1934	Y	1986	6	01	8	0	3	
DRY PONDS	CALDWELL						0	0	0	
DUDLEY SHOALS	CALDWELL	1861	Y	1972	1	01	33	0	6	
EDGEMONT	CALDWELL	1915	Y	1990	1	01	0	0	0	
FELLOWSHIP BAPTIST	CALDWELL	1981	Y	1981	4	01	15	0	5	
FLEMINGS CHAPEL	CALDWELL	1969	N		1	01	9	0	3	
FRIENDSHIP	CALDWELL	1982	Y	1993	1	01	10	0	2	
GETHSEMANE BAPTIST	CALDWELL	1993	Y	1993	7	01	0	0	0	
GLOBE							0	0	0	
GRANDIN	CALDWELL	1914	Y	1988	1	01	1	0	0	
GRANDVIEW PARK	CALDWELL	1930	Y	1995	6	01	0	0	0	
GRANITE FALLS FIRST	CALDWELL	1890	Y	1975	3	01	3	0	0	
GREEN ROCK	CALDWELL						0	0	0	
GREEN VALLEY BAPTIST	CALDWELL	1888	Y	1993	1	01	5	0	0	
HARRIS CHAPEL	CALDWELL	1912	Y	1991	4	01	13	0	4	
HARRISBURG	CALDWELL	1979	Y	1994	7	01	2	0	2	
HARTLAND BAPTIST	Caldwell	1938	Y	1992	1	01	4	0	0	
HIBRITEN	CALDWELL						0	0	0	
HUDSON FIRST	CALDWELL	1831	Y	1982	4	01	7	0	0	
INDIAN HILLS	CALDWELL	1989	N	1989	1	05	17	0	1	
JOHNS RIVER	CALDWELL						0	0	0	
KINGS CREEK	CALDWELL	1779	Y	1989	1	01	4	0	0	

ENDING September 30, 1995

Total Baptisms (Continued):

Baptisms 12-17 yrs.

Baptisms 18-29 yrs.

Baptisms 30-59 yrs.

Baptisms 60 yrs. & up

Other Additions (by letter, statement, etc.)

Members Lost (by letter, statement, etc.)

9. Total Membership

a) Resident Members

b) Nonresident Members

10. Received from Non-Baptist Churches

11. Lost to Non-Baptist Churches

6d	6e	6f	6g	7	8	9	9a	9b	10	11
0	0	0	0	6	7	279	244	35	0	0
0	0	0	0	1	2	97	97	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	1	0	7	8	140	140	0	0	0
1	0	2	1	5	5	132	70	62	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	4	0	0	1	19	355	352	3	0	0
1	2	0	0	0	5	108	104	4	0	0
0	4	0	0	4	17	413	396	17	1	0
1	3	0	0	23	19	607	516	91	1	0
1	1	0	0	5	6	360	188	172	0	0
1	1	9	0	2	27	170	170	0	0	0
3	3	1	1	8	10	469	444	25	0	0
0	0	1	0	3	16	1226	754	472	0	0
4	1	3	1	8	27	657	505	152	2	3
0	0	0	0	5	1	65	50	15	2	0
0	3	1	0	10	13	454	417	37	0	4
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
6	10	2	0	13	29	756	671	85	6	5
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
3	2	2	0	26	12	350	325	25	4	1
1	1	4	0	13	16	529	446	83	5	1
1	1	1	0	8	24	436	405	31	0	0
0	0	0	0	3	3	28	28	0	1	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	1	0	0	3	3	50	29	21	0	0
0	0	0	0	6	1	39	37	2	0	0
2	0	0	0	1	7	700	557	143	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
3	1	0	0	8	2	119	116	3	0	0
3	1	2	0	30	24	861	797	64	0	1
0	0	0	0	4	7	246	223	23	0	0
1	0	3	0	12	2	388	308	80	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	2	0	0	17	23	928	679	249	1	0
5	3	1	0	21	9	183	164	19	3	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	2	0	0	4	14	397	319	78	0	1

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1. Year Organized

2. Pastor (Y/N)

3. Year Pastor Came

4. Church Location Code:

1. Open Country

2. Village

3. Town

4. Small City

5. Downtown

6. Neighborhood

7. Suburbs

8. Downtown

9. Neighborhood

0. Suburbs
5. Racial/Ethnic Group 1-28)

6. Total Baptisms:

a) Baptisms under 6 yrs

b) Baptisms 6-8 yrs

c) Baptisms 9-11 yrs

CHURCHES	COUNTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	6a	6b	
LAKEVIEW	CALDWELL	1959	Y	1978	3	01	2	0	1	
LENOIR FIRST	CALDWELL	1889	Y	1989	5	01	12	0	0	
LIBERTY	CALDWELL						0	0	0	
LIVINGSTON MEMORIAL	CALDWELL	1956	Y	1992	1	01	5	0	0	
LOWER CREEK BAPTIST	CALDWELL	1826	Y	1995	6	01	1	0	0	
MEADOWBROOK	CALDWELL	1965	Y	1993	6	01	7	0	2	
MILLER HILL	CALDWELL	1935	Y	1995	6	01	8	0	0	
MOUNTAIN GROVE	CALDWELL	1886	Y	1986	1	01	90	5	6	
MOUNTAIN VIEW	CALDWELL	1948	Y	1991	1	01	1	0	0	
MT CARMEL	CALDWELL	1970	N		1	01	0	0	0	
MT ZION BAPTIST	Caldwell	1889	Y	1994	3	01	14	0	5	
MULBERRY BAPTIST	Caldwell	1853	Y	1982	1	01	2	0	1	
MULVALE	CALDWELL	1941	Y	1994	1	01	2	0	0	
NELSONS CHAPEL	CALDWELL	1905	Y	1994	1	01	17	0	2	
NEW LIFE BAPTIST	CALDWELL	1986	Y	1989	6	01	21	0	2	
NORTH CATAWBA	BURKE	1795	Y	1988	1	01	2	0	0	
OAK GROVE BAPTIST	CALDWELL	1938	Y	1983	1	01	6	0	0	
OPEN DOOR	CALDWELL	1990	Y	1990	3	01	0	0	0	
PINEY GROVE BAPTIST	Caldwell	1869	Y	1987	1	01	0	0	0	
PISGAH							0	0	0	
POOVEY'S CHAPEL	CALDWELL	1932	Y	1976	1		9	0	1	
POOVEYS GROVE	CALDWELL	1898	Y	1984	1	01	4	0	2	
PROVIDENCE	CALDWELL	1993	N		6	01	0	0	0	
RHODHISS FIRST	CALDWELL	1906	Y	1993	3	01	4	0	0	
ROCKY SPRINGS	CALDWELL	1843	Y	1985	1	01	3	0	1	
RUFUS	CALDWELL	1940	Y	1993	1	01	1	0	0	
SETZER CREEK	CALDWELL	1948	Y	1991	1	01	3	0	0	
SUNRISE	CALDWELL	1965	Y	1967			0	0	0	
TEMPLE HILL	CALDWELL	1946	Y	1992	1	01	20	0	0	
UNION BAPTIST	Caldwell	1814	Y	1991	1	01	10	0	0	
UNION GROVE BAPTIST	CALDWELL	1898	N		1		7	0	2	
WEST LENOIR	CALDWELL	1942	Y	1970	6	01	13	0	3	
WHITNEL FIRST	CALDWELL	1910	Y	1994	7	01	16	0	4	
YADKIN BAPTIST	CALDWELL	1791	Y	1986	2	01	9	1	1	
YADKIN VALLEY	CALDWELL	1935	Y	1982	1	01	8	0	0	
ZACKS FORK	CALDWELL	1950	Y	1971	1	01	26	0	0	

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<p>Total Baptisms (Continued):</p> <p>Baptisms 12-17 yrs.</p> <p>Baptisms 18-29 yrs.</p> <p>Baptisms 30-59 yrs.</p> <p>Baptisms 60 yrs. & up</p> <p>Other Additions (by letter, statement, etc.)</p> <p>Members Lost (by letter, statement, etc.)</p>	<p>9. Total Membership</p> <p>a) Resident Members</p> <p>b) Nonresident Members</p> <p>10. Received from Non-Baptist Churches</p> <p>11. Lost to Non-Baptist Churches</p>
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6d	6e	6f	6g	7	8	9	9a	9b	10	11
0	1	0	0	2	4	339	209	130	0	0
5	0	0	2	22	25	777	572	205	5	6
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2	1	1	0	6	6	180	97	83	0	0
0	0	1	0	22	36	658	556	102	2	3
0	1	1	0	5	25	512	492	20	0	0
2	0	1	0	17	16	325	242	83	0	4
18	32	21	0	123	56	1993	1983	10	0	0
0	0	0	0	12	0	70	62	8	6	0
0	0	0	0	3	4	115	115	0	0	0
3	0	1	0	8	23	912	637	275	1	3
0	1	0	0	0	3	94	72	22	0	0
2	0	0	0	3	6	190	111	79	0	0
4	6	4	0	21	4	214	180	34	0	0
3	7	3	0	30	30	441	418	23	4	0
0	0	0	0	10	12	542	415	127	0	0
0	0	3	0	9	11	370	193	177	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	18	18	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	1	2	225	142	83	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2	6	0	0	5	4	344	344	0	0	0
0	0	0	1	2	7	145	135	10	0	0
0	0	0	0	2	0	74	74	0	0	0
2	0	0	1	5	12	639	300	339	0	0
0	2	0	0	4	5	124	87	37	0	0
0	0	1	0	1	0	70	43	27	0	0
1	0	2	0	1	5	344	244	100	3	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7	5	8	0	33	16	771	578	193	0	0
0	3	0	0	12	7	295	236	59	0	0
2	0	0	0	7	52	548	461	87	0	0
3	2	0	0	14	7	971	971	0	0	0
4	3	3	1	27	20	723	656	67	1	0
4	0	0	0	6	13	510	407	103	0	1
0	4	4	0	8	1	198	136	62	0	0
4	4	15	1	8	4	394	394	0	0	0

108	124	102	9	686	774	25667	21131	4536	48	33
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TABLE B ** SUNDAY SCHOOL INFORMATION **

12. Total Sunday School Enrollment:

- a) Cradle Roll
 b) Preschool B-5
 c) Children 6-11 yrs
 d) Youth 12-17 yrs
 e) Adults 18-24 yrs
 f) Adults 25-34 yrs
 g) Adults 35-54 yrs
 h) Adults 55 yrs & up
 i) Special Education

CHURCHES	12	12a	12b	12c	12d	12e	12f	12g	12h	12i
BATON BAPTIST CHURCH	125	1	9	6	17	6	14	16	30	17
BETHANY	17	0	0	0	0	0	0	17	0	0
BLAIRS FORK	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BLUE RIDGE BAPTIST	122	8	10	21	14	13	13	25	15	0
BUFFALO COVE	34	0	2	4	6	2	1	5	11	0
CAJAHS MOUNTAIN	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CALVARY BAPTIST	211	9	7	28	18	36	26	54	29	0
CEDAR ROCK	75	4	13	5	10	0	0	15	25	0
CENTER GROVE	174	0	26	22	17	6	22	33	40	0
CENTRAL BAPTIST	219	4	12	34	14	14	11	16	93	0
CLARKS CHAPEL	117	0	20	17	7	6	5	15	44	0
CLEARVIEW	173	5	14	27	30	10	23	25	35	0
CLOVER	301	0	19	37	45	29	25	68	74	0
COLLEGE AVENUE	591	0	24	35	36	38	70	41	269	4
CONCORD BAPTIST	507	0	36	41	62	36	107	81	122	0
CONWAYS CHAPEL	28	2	0	0	0	7	2	6	9	0
CREST VIEW	284	0	27	26	37	50	34	38	59	0
DRY PONDS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DUDLEY SHOALS	715	28	42	57	74	61	111	186	112	0
EDGEMONT	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	3	0
FELLOWSHIP BAPTIST	331	0	53	40	18	26	71	73	46	0
FLEMINGS CHAPEL	305	6	32	36	35	19	23	102	43	0
FRIENDSHIP	388	0	47	69	37	64	72	47	28	0
GETHSEMANE BAPTIST	32	0	2	2	2	2	0	5	8	0
GLOBE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
GRANDIN	38	0	3	4	10	4	4	4	7	0
GRANDVIEW PARK	60	0	0	4	0	5	0	5	14	0
GRANITE FALLS FIRST	401	22	19	20	32	44	60	95	75	0
GREEN ROCK	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
GREEN VALLEY BAPTIST	51	0	7	8	2	3	11	8	3	0
HARRIS CHAPEL	654	12	33	88	130	33	124	36	184	0
HARRISBURG	70	0	6	19	12	4	0	17	9	0
HARTLAND BAPTIST	147	5	14	14	14	10	13	43	18	12
HIBRITEN	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
HUDSON FIRST	617	0	64	46	57	29	108	110	155	0
INDIAN HILLS	65	2	6	7	6	4	18	16	2	0
JOHNS RIVER	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
KINGS CREEK	322	0	28	40	29	61	42	35	62	0

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2 Total Sunday School Enrollment (continued):

j) Adults Away

k) Homebound

l) General Officers

m) Other Bible Study

3 Sunday School Average Weekly Attendance

4 New Sunday School Members

15. Sunday School College Students

16. Sunday School Single Adults

17. Sunday School Single Adults

18. Sunday School Bus/Van Ministry

19. Vacation Bible School

20. Mission Vacation Bible School

12j	12k	12l	12m	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
0	0	4	5	75	7	0	6	10	4	130	0
0	0	0	0	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	3	0	65	51	2	25	0	0	130	0
0	0	3	0	21	1	0	3	1	0	45	2
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	4	0	160	3	3	0	0	0	67	0
0	0	3	0	56	2	0	5	0	0	81	0
0	1	7	0	120	0	3	0	7	0	102	0
0	15	6	0	156	24	5	15	7	0	139	0
0	0	3	0	87	16	1	3	8	6	112	0
0	0	4	0	147	0	0	0	0	8	128	0
0	0	4	0	123	22	5	30	16	0	153	0
0	60	6	8	155	6	38	5	0	6	79	0
0	16	6	0	182	25	14	23	80	0	151	40
0	0	2	0	20	2	0	0	1	0	0	0
0	8	5	0	140	14	50	7	72	0	121	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
21	8	15	0	352	22	0	0	182	0	314	0
0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	4	0	129	41	3	24	9	5	153	0
9	0	0	0	185	14	15	6	0	0	131	0
0	18	6	0	191	16	10	13	40	6	182	0
0	0	1	10	24	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	2	0	20	0	0	9	3	0	0	0
28	0	4	0	25	4	2	4	0	0	0	0
1	15	3	15	185	2	20	35	20	0	149	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	9	0	38	0	1	1	0	3	50	0
0	5	9	0	268	90	1	21	58	40	152	0
0	0	3	0	38	2	2	0	4	0	107	0
0	0	4	0	117	14	5	0	0	0	154	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
10	29	9	0	320	31	11	18	51	0	163	0
0	1	3	0	38	9	0	4	0	0	78	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	21	4	0	131	21	5	20	26	6	173	0

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CHURCHES	12	12a	12b	12c	12d	12e	12f	12g	12h	12i
LAKEVIEW	162	0	24	11	5	9	45	38	27	
LENOIR FIRST	398	0	24	43	56	35	43	60	132	
LIBERTY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
LIVINGSTON MEMORIAL	43	0	13	5	5	4	6	3	4	
LOWER CREEK BAPTIST	542	1	45	57	58	44	20	102	195	
MEADOWBROOK	227	0	37	34	20	30	17	53	22	
MILLER HILL	172	0	22	17	12	4	7	53	51	
MOUNTAIN GROVE	2143	41	77	180	198	115	120	1220	122	
MOUNTAIN VIEW	49	0	6	5	5	7	10	16	0	
MT CARMEL	51	3	6	4	0	8	8	0	20	
MT ZION BAPTIST	714	0	71	108	79	72	146	124	85	
MULBERRY BAPTIST	83	0	15	3	3	4	13	30	11	
MULVALE	64	0	8	3	10	3	4	17	16	
NELSONS CHAPEL	85	0	5	18	12	10	10	10	17	
NEW LIFE BAPTIST	270	0	39	44	68	7	33	61	14	
NORTH CATAWBA	240	0	22	29	18	22	44	60	23	
OAK GROVE BAPTIST	144	0	13	11	23	6	20	40	27	
OPEN DOOR	12	1	0	2	3	0	0	4	0	
PINEY GROVE BAPTIST	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
PISGAH	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
POOVEY'S CHAPEL	181	5	17	11	24	15	26	29	51	
POOVEYS GROVE	105	3	6	12	7	8	5	11	35	
PROVIDENCE	91	13	8	7	13	6	12	19	11	
RHODISS FIRST	171	0	10	20	20	5	30	45	35	
ROCKY SPRINGS	99	0	10	10	15	11	10	26	9	
RUFUS	27	0	1	3	0	1	1	9	8	
SETZER CREEK	173	0	9	32	16	24	11	40	37	
SUNRISE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
TEMPLE HILL	193	11	12	26	14	2	15	43	62	
UNION BAPTIST	160	8	11	21	17	7	20	25	46	
UNION GROVE BAPTIST	171	0	15	25	12	13	16	25	60	
WEST LENOIR	345	10	31	18	51	13	25	69	128	
WHITNEL FIRST	263	0	30	34	17	23	58	59	18	1
YADKIN BAPTIST	368	0	37	40	32	77	36	90	31	
YADKIN VALLEY	70	0	4	13	5	10	5	8	21	
ZACKS FORK	146	5	13	17	21	15	16	21	26	
TOTALS		209		1620		1232		3649		5
	15141		1216		1610		1842		2968	

Total Sunday School Enrollment (continued):
j) Adults Away
k) Homebound
l) General Officers
m) Other Bible Study
Sunday School Average Weekly Attendance
New Sunday School Members

- 15. Sunday School College Students
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12j	12k	12l	12m	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
0	0	3	0	59	0	2	13	0	0	47	0
0	0	5	0	198	9	0	12	15	0	71	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	3	0	33	0	0	0	0	0	45	0
0	17	3	0	266	39	27	17	22	0	126	0
0	10	4	0	121	15	5	20	0	0	106	0
0	2	4	0	117	24	0	0	0	0	146	14
0	30	28	0	586	202	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	31	9	1	6	2	0	42	0
1	1	0	0	31	0	0	0	0	0	75	0
0	18	11	0	282	37	6	72	153	20	256	25
0	0	4	0	68	0	2	0	0	0	56	0
0	0	3	0	41	3	1	0	1	0	55	0
0	0	3	0	70	30	3	5	10	0	51	0
0	0	4	0	120	64	4	14	21	69	0	0
0	15	7	0	121	4	8	22	10	0	140	22
0	0	4	0	85	7	0	0	0	0	87	0
0	0	2	0	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	3	0	124	0	0	5	0	0	112	1
0	15	3	0	70	10	0	0	10	0	85	0
0	0	2	0	46	6	0	0	1	0	45	0
0	1	5	0	90	0	0	5	1	0	105	0
0	0	8	0	88	10	1	3	10	0	155	0
0	0	4	0	20	2	1	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	4	0	93	9	0	11	2	0	163	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	8	0	147	21	4	6	0	0	114	5
0	0	5	0	92	5	7	8	0	0	128	0
0	0	5	0	105	25	7	7	0	15	125	0
0	0	0	0	249	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	3	7	0	178	43	2	7	0	1	161	50
0	19	6	0	154	31	15	29	41	0	127	0
0	0	4	0	47	6	1	6	8	0	85	0
0	7	5	0	108	0	0	0	0	0	146	0
335	38	1050	545	189	159						
70	293	7440	293	903	6098						

TABLE C ** DISCIPLESHIP TRAINING INFORMATION **

21. Total Ongoing Discipleship Training:

- a) Ongoing Preschool B-5 yrs
- b) Ongoing Children 6-11 yrs
- c) Ongoing Youth 12-17 yrs
- d) Ongoing Adults 18 yrs & up
- e) DT General Officers

22. Total Short-Term Discipleship Training

CHURCHES	21	21a	21b	21c	21d	21e	22
BATON BAPTIST CHURCH	82	2	5	18	54	3	17
BETHANY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BLAIRS FORK	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BLUE RIDGE BAPTIST	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BUFFALO COVE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CAJAHS MOUNTAIN	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CALVARY BAPTIST	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CEDAR ROCK	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CENTER GROVE	59	5	9	10	33	2	0
CENTRAL BAPTIST	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CLARKS CHAPEL	76	10	12	15	37	2	6
CLEARVIEW	107	10	37	30	26	4	0
CLOVER	88	12	16	11	47	2	164
COLLEGE AVENUE	157	13	29	10	100	5	118
CONCORD BAPTIST	41	0	0	0	40	1	0
CONWAYS CHAPEL	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CREST VIEW	65	10	15	18	20	2	0
DRY PONDS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DUDLEY SHOALS	198	30	33	40	88	7	0
EDGEMONT	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FELLOWSHIP BAPTIST	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FLEMINGS CHAPEL	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FRIENDSHIP	112	19	17	15	58	3	0
GETHSEMANE BAPTIST	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
GLOBE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
GRANDIN	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
GRANDVIEW PARK	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
GRANITE FALLS FIRST	67	8	21	35	0	3	35
GREEN ROCK	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
GREEN VALLEY BAPTIST	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
HARRIS CHAPEL	53	3	14	15	20	1	0
HARRISBURG	23	0	8	15	0	0	0
HARTLAND BAPTIST	89	10	13	24	38	4	43
HIBRITEN	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
HUDSON FIRST	178	19	15	54	85	5	0
INDIAN HILLS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
JOHNS RIVER	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
KINGS CREEK	68	20	30	15	0	3	70
LAKEVIEW	63	5	4	6	45	3	0

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Total Short-Term Discipleship Training (continued):

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| a) Short-Term Preschool | 21&22. Total DT Enrollment/Participation |
| b) Short-Term Children | 23. Baptist Doctrine Study |
| c) Short-Term Youth | 24. New Member Training |
| d) Short-Term Adults | 25. Support Groups |

22a	22b	22c	22d	21&22	23	24	25
0	2	15	0	99	35	2	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	59	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	2	1	3	82	0	4	2
0	0	0	0	107	0	0	0
5	19	15	125	252	48	2	0
10	69	9	30	275	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	41	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	65	0	8	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	198	0	14	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	112	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	10	25	102	30	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	53	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	23	0	0	0
0	0	23	20	132	17	8	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	178	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	5	65	138	0	5	6
0	0	0	0	63	0	0	0

TABLE C ** DISCIPLESHIP TRAINING INFORMATION **

21. Total Ongoing Discipleship Training:
- a) Ongoing Preschool B-5 yrs
 - b) Ongoing Children 6-11 yrs
 - c) Ongoing Youth 12-17 yrs
 - d) Ongoing Adults 18 yrs & up
 - e) DT General Officers
22. Total Short-Term Discipleship Training

CHURCHES	21	21a	21b	21c	21d	21e	22
LENOIR FIRST	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
LIBERTY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
LIVINGSTON MEMORIAL	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
LOWER CREEK BAPTIST	58	0	0	16	41	1	36
MEADOWBROOK	68	4	16	23	22	3	0
MILLER HILL	54	4	10	7	31	2	0
MOUNTAIN GROVE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MOUNTAIN VIEW	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MT CARMEL	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MT ZION BAPTIST	131	11	25	39	52	4	110
MULBERRY BAPTIST	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MULVALE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NELSONS CHAPEL	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NEW LIFE BAPTIST	94	13	35	43	0	3	84
NORTH CATAWBA	77	9	8	14	42	4	0
OAK GROVE BAPTIST	33	3	9	8	10	3	0
OPEN DOOR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
PINEY GROVE BAPTIST	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
PISGAH	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
POOVEY'S CHAPEL	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
POOVEYS GROVE	30	3	6	6	12	3	0
PROVIDENCE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
RHODHISS FIRST	44	2	10	10	20	2	0
ROCKY SPRINGS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
RUFUS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SETZER CREEK	57	9	5	7	29	7	0
SUNRISE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TEMPLE HILL	43	0	5	14	21	3	0
UNION BAPTIST	80	8	20	10	40	2	0
UNION GROVE BAPTIST	35	2	2	8	21	2	25
WEST LENOIR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
WHITNEL FIRST	62	12	7	17	21	5	0
YADKIN BAPTIST	22	0	0	21	0	1	10
YADKIN VALLEY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ZACKS FORK	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTALS	2414	256	436	574	1053	95	718

Total Short-Term Discipleship Training (continued):

- a) Short-Term Preschool
- b) Short-Term Children
- c) Short-Term Youth
- d) Short-Term Adults
- 21&22. Total DT Enrollment/Participation
23. Baptist Doctrine Study
24. New Member Training
25. Support Groups

22a	22b	22c	22d	21&22	23	24	25
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	36	94	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	68	22	0	6
0	0	0	0	54	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	29	81	241	0	0	17
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	35	49	178	13	7	0
0	0	0	0	77	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	33	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	30	3	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	44	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	57	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	43	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	80	0	0	0
0	0	4	21	60	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	62	0	0	0
0	0	0	10	32	0	5	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
15	92	146	465	3132	168	55	31

TABLE D ** MUSIC MINISTRY INFORMATION **

26. Total Music Ministry Enrollment:

- a) Preschool 3 yrs
- b) Preschool 4-5 yrs
- c) Children 6-8 yrs
- d) Children 9-11 yrs
- e) Youth 12-17 yrs

CHURCHES	26	26a	26b	26c	26d	26e
BATON BAPTIST CHURCH	50	0	3	4	5	7
BETHANY	0	0	0	0	0	0
BLAIRS FORK	0	0	0	0	0	0
BLUE RIDGE BAPTIST	40	0	3	4	3	10
BUFFALO COVE	15	0	0	0	0	0
CAJAHS MOUNTAIN	0	0	0	0	0	0
CALVARY BAPTIST	50	0	0	0	0	0
CEDAR ROCK	26	0	0	0	0	5
CENTER GROVE	66	0	6	8	7	12
CENTRAL BAPTIST	50	0	0	0	0	6
CLARKS CHAPEL	31	0	0	0	0	3
CLEARVIEW	60	0	2	4	12	10
CLOVER	62	0	5	12	9	3
COLLEGE AVENUE	88	0	8	8	8	0
CONCORD BAPTIST	152	0	11	5	13	39
CONWAYS CHAPEL	20	0	0	0	0	0
CREST VIEW	99	4	3	5	4	18
DRY PONDS	0	0	0	0	0	0
DUDLEY SHOALS	57	0	0	0	0	0
EDGEMONT	0	0	0	0	0	0
FELLOWSHIP BAPTIST	52	0	15	12	0	0
FLEMINGS CHAPEL	59	6	5	6	4	10
FRIENDSHIP	84	10	10	5	10	6
GETHSEMANE BAPTIST	2	0	0	0	0	0
GLOBE	0	0	0	0	0	0
GRANDIN	0	0	0	0	0	0
GRANDVIEW PARK	10	0	0	0	0	0
GRANITE FALLS FIRST	98	10	6	7	9	15
GREEN ROCK	0	0	0	0	0	0
GREEN VALLEY BAPTIST	33	2	5	1	3	3
HARRIS CHAPEL	75	0	0	5	7	9
HARRISBURG	17	0	0	0	0	0
HARTLAND BAPTIST	64	0	0	4	2	3
HIBRITEN	0	0	0	0	0	0
HUDSON FIRST	150	0	0	23	11	45
INDIAN HILLS	49	0	0	0	0	0
JOHNS RIVER	0	0	0	0	0	0
KINGS CREEK	103	1	11	15	11	10
LAKEVIEW	0	0	0	0	0	0

	26f	26g	26h	26i	26j
	0	26	0	5	0
	0	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0	0
	20	0	0	0	0
	15	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0	0
	50	0	0	0	0
	18	0	0	0	3
	25	0	0	8	0
	40	0	0	2	2
	28	0	0	0	0
	20	3	0	6	3
	25	0	0	8	0
	32	32	0	0	0
	58	0	0	12	14
	15	0	0	5	0
	28	27	0	10	0
	0	0	0	0	0
	45	0	0	12	0
	0	0	0	0	0
	25	0	0	0	0
	28	0	0	0	0
	31	0	0	12	0
	2	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0	0
	10	0	0	0	0
	35	0	9	7	0
	0	0	0	0	0
	19	0	0	0	0
	36	0	0	18	0
	15	0	0	2	0
	30	0	0	15	10
	0	0	0	0	0
	42	0	13	16	0
	32	0	0	14	3
	0	0	0	0	0
	31	15	0	0	9
	0	0	0	0	0

TABLE D ** MUSIC MINISTRY INFORMATION **

26. Total Music Ministry Enrollment:

- a) Preschool 3 yrs
- b) Preschool 4-5 yrs
- c) Children 6-8 yrs
- d) Children 9-11 yrs
- e) Youth 12-17 yrs

CHURCHES	26	26a	26b	26c	26d	26e
LENOIR FIRST	100	0	4	12	18	24
LIBERTY	0	0	0	0	0	0
LIVINGSTON MEMORIAL	23	0	0	0	0	0
LOWER CREEK BAPTIST	200	3	15	16	28	58
MEADOWBROOK	65	4	6	7	8	5
MILLER HILL	28	0	0	0	0	1
MOUNTAIN GROVE	260	0	4	15	16	18
MOUNTAIN VIEW	20	0	0	0	0	0
MT CARMEL	19	0	0	0	1	4
MT ZION BAPTIST	129	0	18	22	15	25
MULBERRY BAPTIST	36	4	5	1	2	2
MULVALE	20	0	0	0	0	2
NELSONS CHAPEL	34	0	0	0	0	2
NEW LIFE BAPTIST	85	0	0	0	0	25
NORTH CATAWBA	97	3	6	7	8	15
OAK GROVE BAPTIST	26	0	0	0	0	0
OPEN DOOR	2	0	0	0	0	0
PINEY GROVE BAPTIST	31	1	3	2	3	4
PISGAH	0	0	0	0	0	0
POOVEY'S CHAPEL	68	0	6	4	5	10
POOVEYS GROVE	20	0	0	0	0	0
PROVIDENCE	10	0	0	0	0	1
RHODHISS FIRST	29	0	0	1	10	0
ROCKY SPRINGS	0	0	0	0	0	0
RUFUS	12	0	0	0	1	0
SETZER CREEK	47	0	0	1	0	0
SUNRISE	0	0	0	0	0	0
TEMPLE HILL	61	0	0	0	0	5
UNION BAPTIST	45	0	0	0	0	0
UNION GROVE BAPTIST	39	0	1	4	4	6
WEST LENOIR	118	4	9	8	4	10
WHITNEL FIRST	0	0	0	0	0	0
YADKIN BAPTIST	91	0	0	14	12	21
YADKIN VALLEY	34	0	0	0	0	0
ZACKS FORK	92	0	10	6	7	10
TOTALS	3503	52	180	248	260	462

Total Music Ministry Enrollment (continued):

- f) Adult Choir 18 yrs & up
 g) Separate Senior Adult Choir
 h) Handbells
 i) Vocal Ensembles
 j) Instrumental Ensembles

26f	26g	26h	26i	26j
36	0	0	0	6
0	0	0	0	0
20	0	0	3	0
53	20	0	7	0
35	0	0	0	0
27	0	0	0	0
190	0	0	0	17
20	0	0	0	0
14	0	0	0	0
37	0	0	9	3
14	0	0	4	4
18	0	0	0	0
30	0	0	0	2
35	0	0	21	4
32	0	10	8	8
26	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	2
18	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0
31	0	0	12	0
20	0	0	0	0
9	0	0	0	0
18	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0
10	0	0	0	1
32	0	0	12	2
0	0	0	0	0
50	0	0	3	3
28	0	0	15	2
23	0	0	0	1
0	70	0	13	0
0	0	0	0	0
24	0	12	8	0
30	0	0	2	2
0	43	0	16	0
1635	236	44	285	101

TABLE E ** WMU AND BROTHERHOOD INFORMATION **

27. Total WMU Enrollment:

- a) Mission Friends 8-5 yrs
- b) Girls in Action 6-11 yrs
- c) Acteens 12-17 yrs
- d) Baptist Young Women 18-34 yrs
- e) Baptist Women 35 yrs & up
- f) WMU Officers

28. Missions Project Participation

CHURCHES	27	27a	27b	27c	27d	27e	27f
BATON BAPTIST CHURCH	59	6	9	8	10	25	1
BETHANY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BLAIRS FORK	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BLUE RIDGE BAPTIST	26	0	7	0	0	15	4
BUFFALO COVE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CAJAHS MOUNTAIN	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CALVARY BAPTIST	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CEDAR ROCK	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CENTER GROVE	74	10	14	5	14	26	5
CENTRAL BAPTIST	53	0	9	5	12	17	10
CLARKS CHAPEL	29	4	5	5	0	14	1
CLEARVIEW	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CLOVER	131	19	22	15	33	32	10
COLLEGE AVENUE	119	4	7	6	0	97	5
CONCORD BAPTIST	72	8	11	15	25	12	1
CONWAYS CHAPEL	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CREST VIEW	65	7	11	9	12	22	4
DRY PONDS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DUDLEY SHOALS	231	44	33	24	62	63	5
EDGEMONT	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FELLOWSHIP BAPTIST	50	12	10	0	0	20	8
FLEMINGS CHAPEL	71	10	21	20	0	19	1
FRIENDSHIP	104	16	36	8	16	25	3
GETHSEMANE BAPTIST	7	0	0	0	0	7	0
GLOBE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
GRANDIN	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
GRANDVIEW PARK	14	0	0	0	0	12	2
GRANITE FALLS FIRST	53	23	10	5	0	14	1
GREEN ROCK	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
GREEN VALLEY BAPTIST	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
HARRIS CHAPEL	65	8	18	0	12	26	1
HARRISBURG	5	0	5	0	0	0	0
HARTLAND BAPTIST	68	10	14	15	11	16	2
HIBRITEN	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
HUDSON FIRST	128	14	14	15	0	74	11
INDIAN HILLS	15	0	0	0	0	12	3
JOHNS RIVER	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
KINGS CREEK	75	13	23	0	16	22	1

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| Total Brotherhood Enrollment: | 30. EZRA Enrollment |
| a) Ages 6-8 | 31. World Changes |
| b) Ages 9-11 | 32. Missions Project |
| c) Ages 12-17 | 33. Missions Action Groups |
| d) Ages 18 & up | 29,31,32,& 33. Total Brotherhood Enrollment/Participation |

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29	29a	29b	29c	29d	30	31	32	33	32&33
22	7	3	4	8	0	0	0	0	22
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
23	4	4	5	10	0	0	40	0	63
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
27	4	3	0	20	0	0	0	0	27
49	6	3	10	30	0	0	7	5	61
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
38	4	7	12	15	0	0	10	0	48
55	5	6	0	44	3	4	13	25	97
51	6	6	4	35	0	0	38	0	89
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
25	0	0	0	25	0	0	2	0	27
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
86	15	14	42	15	29	0	34	9	129
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
35	7	9	0	19	0	0	39	0	74
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
34	2	9	5	18	0	0	12	0	46
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
48	5	12	6	25	0	0	0	0	48
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
30	8	8	4	10	0	0	0	0	30
6	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
34	0	0	14	20	0	0	18	0	52
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
72	2	14	6	50	0	0	0	0	72
12	0	0	0	12	0	0	0	0	12
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
37	9	5	0	23	37	9	15	0	61

TABLE E ** WMU AND BROTHERHOOD INFORMATION **

27. Total WMU Enrollment:

- a) Mission Friends 8-5 yrs
- b) Girls in Action 6-11 yrs
- c) Acteens 12-17 yrs
- d) Baptist Young Women 18-34 yrs
- e) Baptist Women 35 yrs & up
- f) WMU Officers

28. Missions Project Participation

CHURCHES	27	27a	27b	27c	27d	27e	27f	28
LAKEVIEW	24	4	4	0	3	10	3	0
LENOIR FIRST	61	0	0	0	0	50	11	0
LIBERTY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
LIVINGSTON MEMORIAL	8	0	0	1	0	5	2	0
LOWER CREEK BAPTIST	82	7	12	0	0	49	14	8
MEADOWBROOK	55	14	12	0	12	13	4	15
MILLER HILL	40	9	0	0	0	28	3	28
MOUNTAIN GROVE	48	20	28	0	0	0	0	0
MOUNTAIN VIEW	17	0	0	0	0	11	6	8
MT CARMEL	33	7	4	3	5	11	3	11
MT ZION BAPTIST	186	33	44	25	22	48	14	184
MULBERRY BAPTIST	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MULVALE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NELSONS CHAPEL	12	0	0	0	0	11	1	0
NEW LIFE BAPTIST	62	10	15	30	0	6	1	0
NORTH CATAWBA	58	4	9	5	6	30	4	0
OAK GROVE BAPTIST	38	3	5	7	0	14	9	2
OPEN DOOR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
PINEY GROVE BAPTIST	24	0	5	5	6	7	1	0
PISGAH	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
POOVEY'S CHAPEL	54	7	9	12	12	12	2	0
POOVEYS GROVE	16	0	0	0	0	12	4	0
PROVIDENCE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
RHODHISS FIRST	26	2	8	12	3	0	1	8
ROCKY SPRINGS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
RUFUS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SETZER CREEK	37	7	4	0	0	25	1	25
SUNRISE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TEMPLE HILL	55	12	9	8	8	16	2	1
UNION BAPTIST	49	9	6	6	9	18	1	39
UNION GROVE BAPTIST	46	4	10	10	12	8	2	46
WEST LENOIR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
WHITNEL FIRST	67	9	10	10	10	21	7	55
YADKIN BAPTIST	100	8	22	7	6	39	18	39
YADKIN VALLEY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ZACKS FORK	38	0	10	10	0	12	6	10
TOTALS	2750	377	505	306	337	1026	199	695

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Total Brotherhood Enrollment: 30. EZRA Enrollment
 a) Ages 6-8 31. World Changes
 b) Ages 9-11 32. Missions Project
 c) Ages 12-17 33. Missions Action Groups
 d) Ages 18 & up 29,31,32,& 33. Total Brotherhood Enrollment/Participation

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29	29a	29b	29c	29d	30	31	32	33	32&33
30	8	0	7	15	0	0	0	0	30
35	0	0	0	35	40	0	19	0	54
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
10	2	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	10
24	6	4	0	14	0	0	8	0	32
15	0	0	0	15	0	0	31	7	53
80	10	10	0	60	0	0	0	0	80
6	0	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	6
11	1	0	2	8	0	0	0	0	11
60	8	12	12	28	0	0	10	11	81
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
50	0	15	20	15	0	0	20	30	100
31	6	6	11	8	12	0	2	0	33
19	2	3	10	4	0	0	0	0	19
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
26	0	1	10	15	0	0	20	0	46
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
14	2	2	6	4	0	0	0	0	14
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
17	0	0	0	17	0	0	0	0	17
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7	0	0	0	7	0	0	7	0	14
29	11	0	18	0	11	0	39	39	107
44	3	12	4	25	0	0	10	0	54
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
31	6	7	3	15	0	0	3	0	34
44	4	5	0	35	9	0	71	37	152
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
24	2	4	4	14	0	0	10	10	44
1291	155	200	223	713	141	13	478	173	1955

TABLE F ** FINANCIAL INFORMATION **

36. Total Receipts:

- a) Undesignated Gifts, Offerings, etc
- b) Designated Gifts, Offerings, etc
- c) All Other Receipts

37. Total Local Expenditures:

- a) Church Staff Salaries

CHURCHES	36	36a	36b	36c	37	37a
BATON BAPTIST CHURCH	156643	116254	40389	0	77828	4312
BETHANY	15784	15784	0	0	11814	720
BLAIRS FORK	0	0	0	0	0	0
BLUE RIDGE BAPTIST	86233	80190	6043	0	80211	210
BUFFALO COVE	29155	23915	4132	1108	18031	109
CAJAHS MOUNTAIN	0	0	0	0	0	0
CALVARY BAPTIST	167456	163700	0	3756	66426	320
CEDAR ROCK	53061	49540	3521	0	44805	163
CENTER GROVE	164249	136094	25118	3037	135621	450
CENTRAL BAPTIST	238575	220679	13813	4083	194408	863
CLARKS CHAPEL	104859	96832	8027	0	73730	345
CLEARVIEW	0	0	0	0	0	0
CLOVER	0	0	0	0	0	0
COLLEGE AVENUE	309725	251319	58406	0	225223	1388
CONCORD BAPTIST	339178	262790	75326	1062	188081	973
CONWAYS CHAPEL	21294	18327	2757	210	12587	650
CREST VIEW	123477	120781	2252	444	52405	3706
DRY PONDS	0	0	0	0	0	0
DUDLEY SHOALS	505434	339929	164783	722	358530	10005
EDGEMONT	0	0	0	0	0	0
FELLOWSHIP BAPTIST	235423	186096	48209	1118	166106	5518
FLEMINGS CHAPEL	175700	151042	15631	9027	101349	3998
FRIENDSHIP	214887	184239	24342	6306	166073	6074
GETHSEMANE BAPTIST	32508	28958	3518	32	24531	1237
GLOBE	0	0	0	0	0	0
GRANDIN	16490	16490	0	0	14131	1075
GRANDVIEW PARK	27040	18379	561	8100	30057	882
GRANITE FALLS FIRST	346596	266954	79642	0	168858	9405
GREEN ROCK	0	0	0	0	0	0
GREEN VALLEY BAPTIST	28628	25417	3211	0	19346	943
HARRIS CHAPEL	229608	213316	11552	4740	107962	5962
HARRISBURG	60789	44661	12367	3761	10797	993
HARTLAND BAPTIST	192000	144207	45189	2604	96370	2572
HIBRITEN	0	0	0	0	0	0
HUDSON FIRST	501863	374063	116653	11147	300398	126870
INDIAN HILLS	39343	36297	2912	134	34593	17860
JOHNS RIVER	0	0	0	0	0	0
KINGS CREEK	177575	138746	35064	3765	128275	51060
LAKEVIEW	78161	68956	8984	221	64410	31556

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Total Local Expenditures (continued):	39. Value of Church Property
b) New Construction	40. Money Borrowed
c) Debt Retirement	41. Church Debt
d) Church Literature	
e) All Other Local Expenditures	

37b	37c	37d	37e	39	40	41
0	0	8228	26438	1225446	0	0
2627	0	233	1754	54500	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	1323	57838	0	0	0
0	0	1204	5829	190000	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	2740	31686	1000000	0	0
0	16400	1067	11038	0	0	13573
0	29513	5008	56055	124500	30000	89252
0	21373	7538	79104	2500000	0	123000
0	3918	3659	31653	510000	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	8400	78000	200000	0	0
0	18960	8270	63520	1285000	0	60967
0	0	218	5869	110000	0	0
0	0	2936	12405	697150	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	92000	14143	152292	1410000	0	128000
0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1034	64965	5364	39554	391000	713869	662718
0	0	6726	54637	1731635	0	0
0	62981	8010	34335	1292220	0	147159
0	0	886	11275	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	243	3138	65000	0	0
0	4980	496	15756	300000	0	11932
0	7800	7000	60000	1235000	0	57008
0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	1135	8778	75000	0	0
0	1556	4567	42211	2370000	0	1477
0	0	867	0	175000	0	0
0	0	7448	63194	800000	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0
17642	46100	9712	100074	2500000	0	25000
3500	0	862	12371	160000	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	4715	7206	65294	993700	0	2220
0	0	2240	30614	300000	0	0

TABLE F ** FINANCIAL INFORMATION **

36. Total Receipts:

- a) Undesignated Gifts, Offerings, etc
- b) Designated Gifts, Offerings, etc
- c) All Other Receipts

37. Total Local Expenditures:

- a) Church Staff Salaries

CHURCHES	36	36a	36b	36c	37	3
LENOIR FIRST	582075	437006	115789	29280	390880	1751*
LIBERTY	0	0	0	0	0	
LIVINGSTON MEMORIAL	40207	37910	676	1621	46634	104
LOWER CREEK BAPTIST	486720	342320	101475	42925	527564	1163
MEADOWBROOK	133453	87056	42797	3600	116563	516
MILLER HILL	131489	119973	10830	686	89836	353
MOUNTAIN GROVE	766123	657499	108624	0	311870	1866
MOUNTAIN VIEW	32084	28115	2282	1687	25927	62
MT CARMEL	19954	18631	1323	0	7948	27
MT ZION BAPTIST	466176	355001	111175	0	240281	1196
MULBERRY BAPTIST	85273	78945	4936	1392	95814	205
MULVALE	82138	79326	1406	1406	57603	195
NELSONS CHAPEL	58704	45966	12500	238	40732	137
NEW LIFE BAPTIST	192635	133838	57030	1767	201962	7300
NORTH CATAWBA	167857	149073	18784	0	141932	8434
OAK GROVE BAPTIST	108634	98947	4767	4920	85963	2313
OPEN DOOR	9346	9346	0	0	5991	360
PINEY GROVE BAPTIST	0	0	0	0	0	
PISGAH	0	0	0	0	0	
POOVEY'S CHAPEL	151345	100858	48936	1551	268051	3781
POOVEYS GROVE	87284	72607	14013	664	67149	3172
PROVIDENCE	66434	58445	7805	184	65559	3387
RHODHISS FIRST	115213	104552	10223	438	77941	3551
ROCKY SPRINGS	52000	32000	20000	0	29658	2264
RUFUS	14096	14096	0	0	10061	692
SETZER CREEK	143736	131416	12034	286	95329	3068
SUNRISE	154217	154217	0	0	46029	2895
TEMPLE HILL	184384	184244	140	0	107545	6698
UNION BAPTIST	137435	121937	14776	722	85222	4869
UNION GROVE BAPTIST	146893	117000	27493	2400	108842	6784
WEST LENOIR	409588	355963	34508	19117	273827	11545
WHITNEL FIRST	231087	214935	16152	0	106905	6081
YADKIN BAPTIST	265840	180411	85154	275	229554	8819
YADKIN VALLEY	37687	37687	0	0	34959	1255
ZACKS FORK	119329	114767	4562	0	48475	1846
TOTALS	10351170		1702592		7015562	
		8468042		180536		2939592

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Total Local Expenditures (continued): 39. Value of Church Property
 b) New Construction 40. Money Borrowed
 c) Debt Retirement 41. Church Debt
 d) Church Literature
 e) All Other Local Expenditures

37b	37c	37d	37e	39	40	41
0	0	6207	209566	3386500	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0
29431	0	641	6162	265000	0	0
301467	0	9174	100606	2483318	0	0
0	48692	4582	11592	1540000	0	256000
0	8877	3570	42065	710000	25000	15000
0	118132	7051	0	0	0	0
9400	0	1100	9187	90000	0	0
0	0	1132	4073	0	0	0
0	0	20142	100517	2003000	0	0
51234	0	1161	22869	300000	0	0
0	0	1818	36275	488000	0	0
0	0	1906	25066	440000	0	0
95390	16506	2153	14912	704383	0	161549
0	0	10105	47484	1338000	48904	48904
0	9042	5912	47872	825000	0	56605
0	0	120	2271	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0
173077	10455	4377	42328	916100	150000	147318
0	0	5492	29937	850000	0	0
0	0	2469	29218	0	0	0
0	835	3909	37681	1060500	13037	12201
0	0	3078	3940	75000	0	0
0	0	152	2984	75000	0	0
0	20602	3457	40590	770125	0	57029
12000	0	5079	0	400000	0	0
0	0	6955	33608	1000000	0	0
0	0	6700	29832	800000	0	0
0	0	7000	34000	1200000	0	0
0	0	5227	153147	1750800	0	0
0	0	8332	37763	860000	0	0
0	54110	8500	78745	1250000	0	110000
0	0	2718	19691	250000	0	0
0	0	2253	27762	0	0	0

696802 662512 280201 2436455 47525877 980810 2186912

TABLE G ** MISSION EXPENDITURES INFORMATION **

38. Total Mission Expenditures:

- a) Mission - New Construction e) State Missions
 b) Mission - Other f) Annie Armstrong Easter Offering
 c) Cooperative Program g) Other Home Missions
 d) Associational Missions

CHURCHES	38	38a	38b	38c	38d	38e
BATON BAPTIST CHURCH	49979	0	0	16462	3479	1765
BETHANY	3348	0	250	0	200	0
BLAIRS FORK	0	0	0	0	0	0
BLUE RIDGE BAPTIST	4658	0	0	1123	900	0
BUFFALO COVE	6720	0	0	1435	933	256
CAJAHS MOUNTAIN	0	0	0	0	0	0
CALVARY BAPTIST	47170	0	34870	420	1000	780
CEDAR ROCK	8095	0	0	4516	2008	0
CENTER GROVE	23240	0	0	12000	1992	0
CENTRAL BAPTIST	36178	0	0	14197	6084	0
CLARKS CHAPEL	22224	0	0	12624	5769	290
CLEARVIEW	0	0	0	0	0	0
CLOVER	10441	0	0	0	0	889
COLLEGE AVENUE	51566	0	0	30200	4200	436
CONCORD BAPTIST	48055	2469	1710	15330	7852	0
CONWAYS CHAPEL	2728	0	0	0	0	0
CREST VIEW	18444	0	0	12307	3402	273
DRY PONDS	0	0	0	0	0	0
DUDLEY SHOALS	138099	0	0	85442	17846	1078
EDGEMONT	0	0	0	0	0	0
FELLOWSHIP BAPTIST	36360	0	0	7200	3300	250
FLEMINGS CHAPEL	39984	0	0	9500	2675	0
FRIENDSHIP	30041	0	0	17833	3567	312
GETHSEMANE BAPTIST	3095	0	0	919	553	420
GLOBE	0	0	0	0	0	0
GRANDIN	2364	0	0	200	100	38
GRANDVIEW PARK	2181	0	0	132	0	132
GRANITE FALLS FIRST	44085	0	0	30814	2000	914
GREEN ROCK	0	0	0	0	0	0
GREEN VALLEY BAPTIST	685	0	0	0	0	0
HARRIS CHAPEL	28205	0	0	1067	534	0
HARRISBURG	5057	0	0	1700	1000	0
HARTLAND BAPTIST	35970	0	0	23073	5768	639
HIBRITEN	0	0	0	0	0	0
HUDSON FIRST	65869	0	1000	21487	8000	1142
INDIAN HILLS	4590	0	0	2600	600	237
JOHNS RIVER	0	0	0	0	0	0
KINGS CREEK	30975	0	0	13000	3600	288
LAKEVIEW	15387	0	0	7636	2756	55
LENOIR FIRST	107542	0	0	37800	7500	2337
LIBERTY	0	0	0	0	0	0
LIVINGSTON MEMORIAL	8863	0	0	3182	758	0

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Total Mission Expenditures (continued):

- h) Lottie Moon Christmas Offering l) Southern Baptist Hospitals
i) Other Foreign Missions m) Southern Baptist Retirement Facilities
j) Southern Baptist Christian Education n) All Other Mission Causes
k) Southern Baptist Children's Homes

38f	38g	38h	38i	38j	38k	38l	38m	38n
3720	9419	11806	664	0	2370	89	205	0
0	0	200	0	0	0	0	0	2698
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
204	0	500	0	0	0	51	0	1880
828	0	1880	0	0	292	0	0	1096
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	1000	2000	1700	0	2000	1800	1600	0
519	0	1052	0	0	0	0	0	0
2056	0	5942	0	0	0	0	0	1250
2715	0	4543	0	0	0	0	0	8639
1087	0	2240	0	0	214	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2674	0	5675	0	0	475	509	219	0
1716	0	7114	7900	0	0	0	0	0
1498	0	6160	0	0	0	0	0	13036
0	0	50	0	0	50	50	0	2578
639	185	1538	0	0	0	0	0	100
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
3800	0	9245	0	2500	1497	614	640	15437
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2694	0	12918	0	0	913	370	0	8715
4502	0	10212	918	0	0	0	0	12177
1506	0	4333	0	0	247	0	0	2243
412	0	500	0	0	95	0	0	196
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
75	0	75	0	0	38	38	0	1800
160	0	910	0	0	147	187	160	353
2707	0	7000	0	0	208	188	254	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	100	0	0	0	0	0	585
1455	15732	4679	2669	0	2069	0	0	0
187	0	1270	0	0	0	0	0	900
1557	121	2286	243	0	712	277	355	939
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
5238	2067	20636	554	1292	495	230	1107	2621
318	0	625	0	0	210	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1731	0	5492	270	0	0	0	0	6594
1315	0	2479	0	0	100	50	0	996
2790	6525	4735	12134	3600	1282	256	70	28513
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
66	0	335	0	0	0	0	0	4522

TABLE G ** MISSION EXPENDITURES INFORMATION **

38. Total Mission Expenditures:

- a) Mission - New Construction
- b) Mission - Other
- c) Cooperative Program
- d) Associational Missions
- e) State Missions
- f) Annie Armstrong Easter Offering
- g) Other Home Missions

CHURCHES	38	38a	38b	38c	38d	38e
LOWER CREEK BAPTIST	117942	0	0	53000	7600	2907
MEADOWBROOK	23632	0	0	14006	3501	80
MILLER HILL	22014	0	0	12009	3599	545
MOUNTAIN GROVE	36910	0	0	18502	3487	1220
MOUNTAIN VIEW	2734	0	0	372	345	124
MT CARMEL	5955	2977	0	1484	594	
MT ZION BAPTIST	94211	0	0	58373	15824	1253
MULBERRY BAPTIST	11222	0	0	557	600	
MULVALE	11938	0	0	6000	1800	500
NELSONS CHAPEL	7783	0	0	1800	1200	
NEW LIFE BAPTIST	7264	0	0	0	0	
NORTH CATAWBA	27074	0	0	13300	1447	412
OAK GROVE BAPTIST	20113	0	0	7368	1200	
OPEN DOOR	300	0	0	0	300	
PINEY GROVE BAPTIST	0	0	0	0	0	
PISGAH	0	0	0	0	0	
POOVEY'S CHAPEL	19384	0	0	10715	1009	347
POOVEYS GROVE	13486	0	0	5809	726	
PROVIDENCE	1082	0	0	500	250	
RHODHISS FIRST	17112	0	0	10906	3635	
ROCKY SPRINGS	2342	0	0	896	896	
RUFUS	465	0	0	0	0	
SETZER CREEK	22990	0	0	10800	3000	325
SUNRISE	25580	0	0	14791	1200	
TEMPLE HILL	43614	354	0	17857	3571	713
UNION BAPTIST	34168	0	0	15954	4877	366
UNION GROVE BAPTIST	32488	0	0	12350	2470	
WEST LENOIR	62135	0	0	0	0	
WHITNEL FIRST	76699	0	0	55200	5111	
YADKIN BAPTIST	32054	0	0	13957	2697	1200
YADKIN VALLEY	904	0	0	0	754	
ZACKS FORK	5762	0	0	748	0	
TOTALS	1711555		37830		170069	
		5800		741453		22523

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Total Mission Expenditures (continued):

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|---|---|
| h) Lottie Moon Christmas Offering | l) Southern Baptist Hospitals |
| i) Other Foreign Missions | m) Southern Baptist Retirement Facilities |
| j) Southern Baptist Christian Education | n) All Other Mission Causes |
| k) Southern Baptist Children's Homes | |

38f	38g	38h	38i	38j	38k	38l	38m	38n
7638	2895	25930	50	0	786	393	393	16350
621	0	1640	377	0	164	125	115	3003
1740	40	3556	0	0	40	20	0	465
2871	3266	0	916	0	0	0	0	6648
408	0	916	0	0	245	199	125	0
400	0	500	0	0	0	0	0	0
4662	928	13126	0	0	45	0	0	0
0	0	831	3375	0	200	0	0	5659
1000	0	1238	0	0	200	1000	200	0
652	0	1741	130	0	0	0	0	2260
87	0	687	0	4050	0	0	0	2440
4194	0	5777	503	0	338	210	234	659
291	0	3066	0	0	160	0	10	8018
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1200	0	2100	0	0	435	326	300	2952
1505	0	4963	0	0	0	0	0	483
125	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	207
901	0	1434	0	0	0	92	0	144
300	0	250	0	0	0	0	0	0
140	0	125	0	0	25	0	0	175
2880	0	4850	0	335	575	125	100	0
0	0	1009	0	0	0	0	0	8580
1600	677	1577	600	2400	365	0	0	13900
1480	1445	4360	1744	0	508	61	61	3312
5150	0	10120	0	0	284	0	0	2114
0	0	0	0	0	2148	0	0	59987
4042	0	10041	0	0	0	0	0	2305
2700	0	8200	1200	0	150	150	0	1800
0	0	150	0	0	0	0	0	0
814	0	3000	0	0	0	0	0	1200
95570	249717		14177		7410		260529	
	44300	35947		20082		6148		

TABLE H ** SPECIAL ITEMS **

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|-----------------------------------|--|
| 42. Budget Promotion (1-5) | 48. Congregational Services (Y/N) |
| 43. Radio/TV (1-4) | 49. Visitation (Y/N) |
| 44. Christian Schools (1-4) | 50. Church Council (Y/N) |
| 45. AM Worship Service Attendance | 51. Marriage Enrichment (Y/N) |
| 46. PM Worship Service Attendance | 52. Single Adult Group (Y/N) |
| 47. College Student Baptisms | 53. Week of Prayer Home Missions (Y/N) |

CHURCHES	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53
BATON BAPTIST CHURCH				0	39	0	Y	Y	N	N	Y	Y
BETHANY	1	1	1	0	0	0						
BLAIRS FORK				0	0	0						
BLUE RIDGE BAPTIST	1	1	1	77	40	0	Y	Y	N	N	N	N
BUFFALO COVE	5	1	1	36	0	0	N	Y	N	N	N	Y
CAJAHS MOUNTAIN				0	0	0						
CALVARY BAPTIST	5	1	1	250	150	0	Y	Y	N	N	N	N
CEDAR ROCK				0	0	0	Y	N	N	Y	N	N
CENTER GROVE	2	1	1	146	40	0	Y	N	N	Y	N	Y
CENTRAL BAPTIST	2	1	1	207	102	1	Y	N	Y	N	N	N
CLARKS CHAPEL	1	1	1	83	41	0	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y
CLEARVIEW	1	3	1	154	78	0	Y	Y	N	N	N	N
CLOVER	2	1	1	142	85	0	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y
COLLEGE AVENUE	5	3	1	180	57	0	Y	N	Y	Y	N	Y
CONCORD BAPTIST	1	3	1	250	150	0	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	N
CONWAYS CHAPEL				0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N
CREST VIEW	1	1		193	88	0	Y	N	Y	N	Y	Y
DRY PONDS				0	0	0						
DUDLEY SHOALS	1	1	1	355	112	0	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y
EDGEMONT				0	0	0	Y	Y	N	N	N	N
FELLOWSHIP BAPTIST	5	1	1	192	73	0	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
FLEMINGS CHAPEL	5	1	1	162	66	1	Y	Y	N	N	Y	Y
FRIENDSHIP	1	1	1	200	700	1	Y	Y	N	N	Y	Y
GETHSEMANE BAPTIST	1			26	13	0	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y
GLOBE				0	0	0						
GRANDIN	1	1	1	30	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N
GRANDVIEW PARK	1	1	1	40	26	0	Y	N	N	N	N	N
GRANITE FALLS FIRST	5	3	1	275	125	0	Y	Y	N	N	Y	Y
GREEN ROCK				0	0	0						
GREEN VALLEY BAPTIST	1	1	1	50	45	0	Y	N	N	N	N	Y
HARRIS CHAPEL	1	1	4	280	138	0	Y	Y	N	N	N	Y
HARRISBURG	3			65	25	2	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N
HARTLAND BAPTIST	1	1	1	154	72	0	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y
HIBRITEN				0	0	0						
HUDSON FIRST	1	1	1	337	75	2	Y	N	Y	N	Y	Y
INDIAN HILLS				80	25	0	Y	Y	N	N	N	Y
JOHNS RIVER				0	0	0						
KINGS CREEK	1	1	1	136	39	0	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y

PERIOD ENDING September 30, 1995

Home Mission Study (Y/N)

Week of Prayer Foreign Missions (Y/N)

Foreign Mission Study (Y/N)

Community Ministries (Y/N)

Here's Hope Revival (Y/N)

59. Tithing Commitments (Y/N)

60. Budget (Y/N)

61. State Paper in Budget (Y/N)

62. Building/Renovating (Y/N)

54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	62
Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	Y	Y	N
N	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y	N	Y
Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	N
N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N
N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N
Y	Y	Y	N	N	N	Y	N	N
Y	N	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	N
N	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y	Y	N
N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N
Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N
Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	N
N	N	N	Y	Y	N	Y	N	N
N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	Y
Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	Y
Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	Y
Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	Y	N	N
Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	N
Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	Y	N	N
N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N
N	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	N
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Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y
Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	Y	N	N
Y	Y	Y	N	N	N	Y	N	N
Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	Y

TABLE H ** SPECIAL ITEMS **

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| 42. Budget Promotion (1-5) | 48. Congregational Services (Y/N) |
| 43. Radio/TV (1-4) | 49. Visitation (Y/N) |
| 44. Christian Schools (1-4) | 50. Church Council (Y/N) |
| 45. AM Worship Service Attendance | 51. Marriage Enrichment (Y/N) |
| 46. PM Worship Service Attendance | 52. Single Adult Group (Y/N) |
| 47. College Student Baptisms | 53. Week of Prayer Home Missions (Y/N) |

CHURCHES	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53
LAKEVIEW	1	1	1	60	21	0	Y	Y	N	N	N	Y
LENOIR FIRST	5	3	1	250	0	0	Y	N	N	N	Y	Y
LIBERTY				0	0	0						
LIVINGSTON MEMORIAL	1	1	1	57	25	0	Y	N	N	N	N	Y
LOWER CREEK BAPTIST				0	0	0						
MEADOWBROOK				150	76	1	Y	Y	Y	N	N	Y
MILLER HILL	5	1	1	125	80	0	Y	Y	Y	N	N	Y
MOUNTAIN GROVE	1	1	1	958	0	0						
MOUNTAIN VIEW				45	20	0	Y	Y	N	N	N	Y
MT CARMEL	5			0	0	0	Y	N	N	N	N	Y
MT ZION BAPTIST	5	1	1	240	101	0	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
MULBERRY BAPTIST	5	1	1	70	32	0	Y	N	N	N	N	N
MULVALE	1	1	1	40	28	0	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N
NELSONS CHAPEL	5	1	1	102	80	0	Y	N	Y	N	N	N
NEW LIFE BAPTIST	5	1	1	250	150	0	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	N
NORTH CATAWBA	5	1	1	135	45	0	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y
OAK GROVE BAPTIST	1	1	1	150	60	0	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y
OPEN DOOR	5			32	23	0	Y	N	N	N	N	N
PINEY GROVE BAPTIST	1	1	1	130	0	0	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y
PISGAH				0	0	0						
POOVEY'S CHAPEL				130	40	0	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y
POOVEYS GROVE	5	1	1	87	35	0	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y
PROVIDENCE	5	1	1	40	0	0	N	Y	Y	N	N	N
RHODISS FIRST	1	1	1	90	52	0	Y	Y	N	N	Y	Y
ROCKY SPRINGS	1	1	1	160	40	0	Y	N	N	Y	N	N
RUFUS	1	1	1	18	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N
SETZER CREEK	5	1	1	91	35	0	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y
SUNRISE				0	0	0						
TEMPLE HILL				250	150	0	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y
UNION BAPTIST	1	1	1	111	45	0	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y
UNION GROVE BAPTIST				125	75	0	Y	Y	Y	N	N	Y
WEST LENOIR				0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N
WHITNEL FIRST	1	1	1	200	75	1	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y
YADKIN BAPTIST	1	1	1	160	34	0	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y
YADKIN VALLEY	1	1	1	79	40	0	Y	N	Y	N	N	N
ZACKS FORK	4	1	1	225	110	4	Y	Y	Y	N	N	Y

TOTALS

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Here's Hope Revival (Y/N)

62. Building/Renovating (Y/N)

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| 34. Church-Type Missions Started | d) Music Enrollment at Missions |
| 35. Church-Type Missions Operating: | e) WMU at Missions |
| a) Mission Members | f) Brotherhood at Missions |
| b) Sunday School at Missions | g) Baptisms at Missions |
| c) Discipleship Training at Missions | |

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4. Church-Type Missions Started
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 - a) Mission Members
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 - e) WMU at Missions
 - f) Brotherhood at Missions
 - g) Baptisms at Missions

CHURCHES	34	35	35a	35b	35c	35d	35e	35f	35g
LIVINGSTON MEMORIAL	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
OWER CREEK BAPTIST	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
EADOWBROOK	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ILLER HILL	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
OUNTAIN GROVE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
OUNTAIN VIEW	0	2	0	0	0	0	11	6	0
T CARMEL	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
T ZION BAPTIST	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ULBERRY BAPTIST	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ULVALE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ELSONS CHAPEL	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
EW LIFE BAPTIST	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ORTH CATAWBA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
AK GROVE BAPTIST	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
PEN DOOR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
INEY GROVE BAPTIST	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ISGAH	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DOVEY'S CHAPEL	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DOVEYS GROVE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ROVIDENCE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ODHISS FIRST	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
OCKY SPRINGS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
JFUS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ETZER CREEK	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
JNRISE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
EMPLE HILL	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ION BAPTIST	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ION GROVE BAPTIST	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
EST LENOIR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ITNEL FIRST	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ADKIN BAPTIST	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ADKIN VALLEY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ACKS FORK	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTALS	1		20		0		11		4
		3		40		3		6	



DISTRICTS

1 — COLLETTSVILLE

Conways Chapel
Edgemont
Globe
Green Valley
Johns River
Mountain View
Mulberry
Mulvale
Rocky Springs
Rufus

2 — PATTERSON

Bethany
Buffalo Cove
Crest View
Green Rock
Indian Hills
Nelsons Chapel
Piney Grove
Setzer Creek
Yadkin
Yadkin Valley

3 — LENOIR NORTH

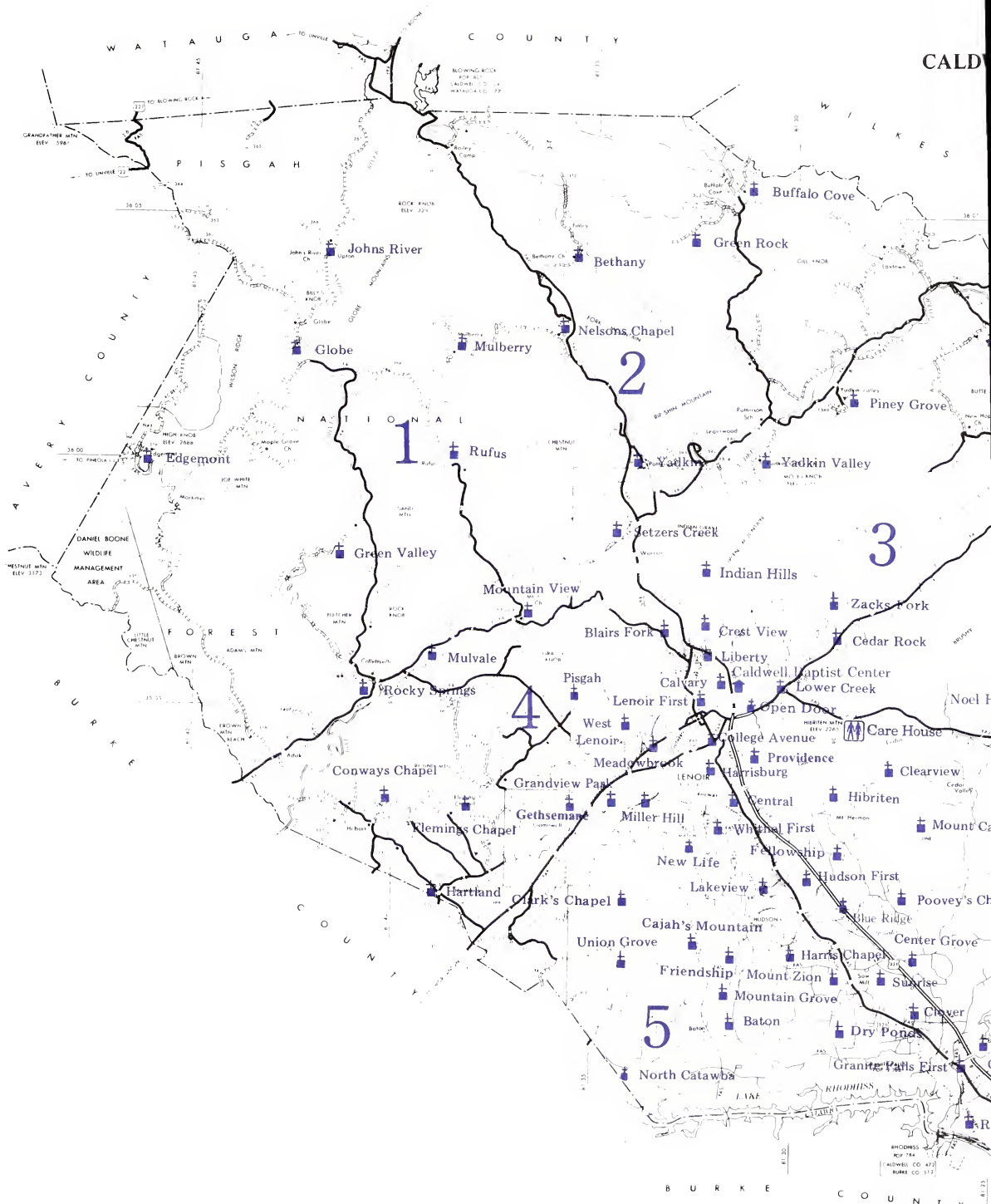
Blairs Fork
Calvary
Cedar Rock
Grandin
Kings Creek
Lenoir First
Liberty
Livingston Memorial
Lower Creek
Open Door
Union
Zack's Fork

4 — LENOIR SOUTH

Central
College Avenue
Flemings Chapel
Gethsemane
Grandview Park
Harrisburg
Hartland
Hibriten
Meadowbrook
Miller Hill
New Life
Pisgah
Providence
West Lenoir
Whitnel First

5 — HUDSON

Baton
Blue Ridge
Cajah's Mountain
Clark's Chapel
Clearview
Fellowship
Friendship
Harris Chapel
Hudson First
Lakeview
Mountain Grove
North Catawba
Poovey's Chapel
Union Grove
6 — GRANITE FALLS
Center Grove
Clover
Concord
Dry Ponds
Dudley Shoals
Granite Falls First
Mount Carmel
Mount Zion
Oak Grove
Poovey's Grove
Rhodhiss First
Sunrise
Temple Hill

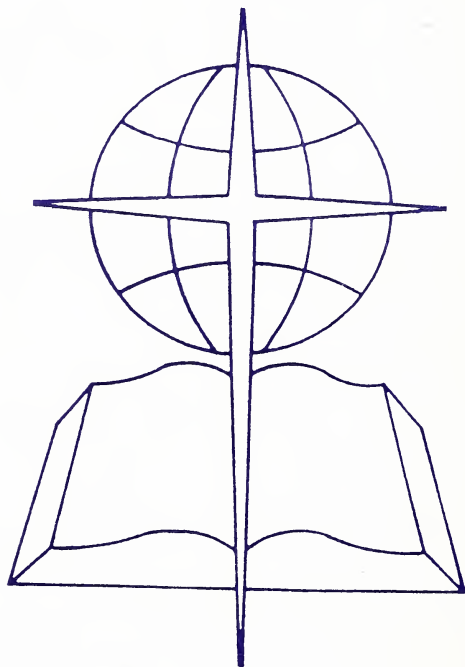


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